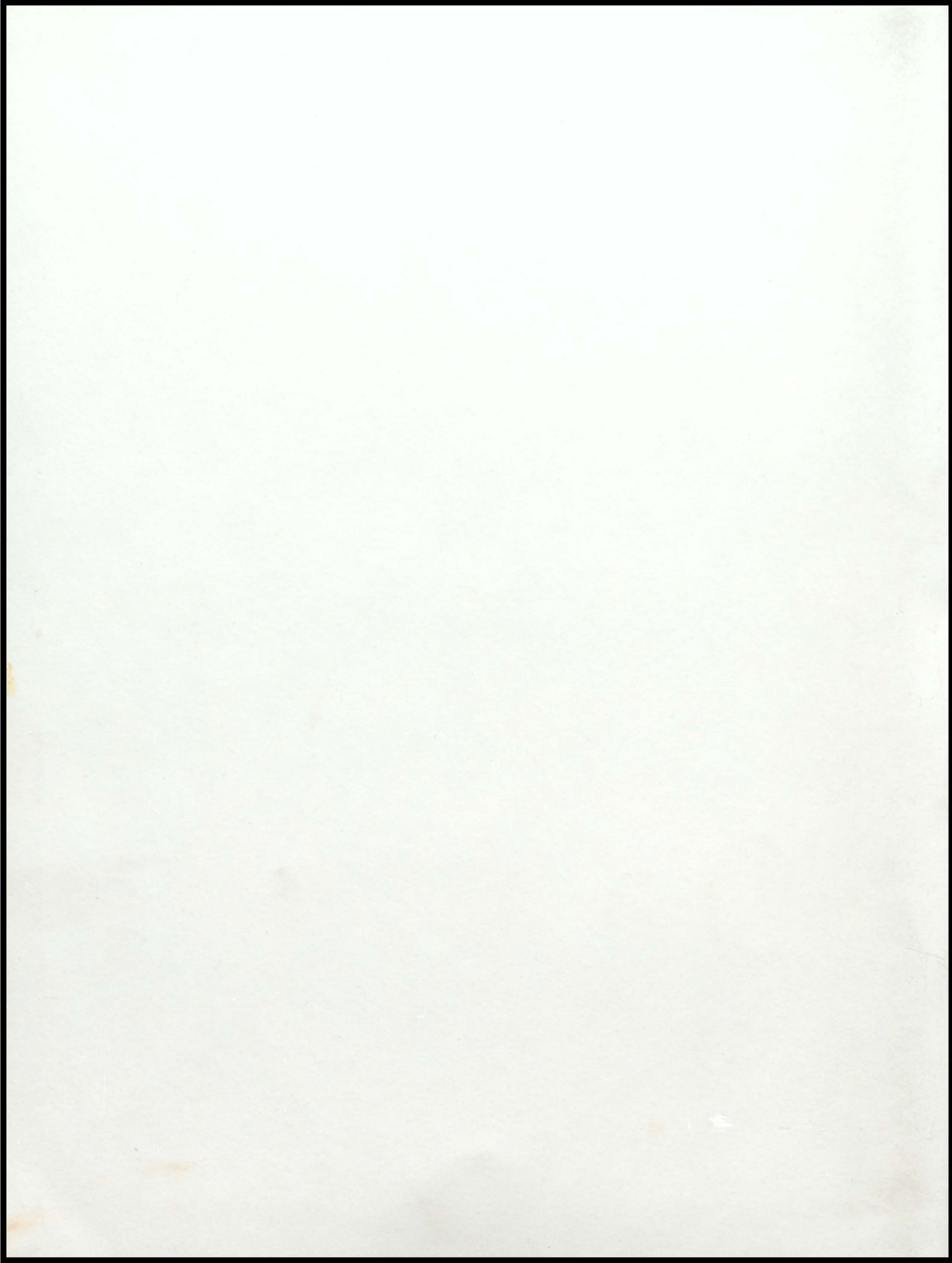


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Dr. Samuel Scavella, Complex
Principal

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Dr. Samuel P. Scavella, Complex Principal



Dr. Scavella's Six-Word Memoir: "...through hope, Life; through struggle, Progress!"

Dr. Scavella strives everyday to make sure each student at Northeast is a success.



Larger than Life....

Dr. Samuel Scavella leads Northeast with a confident smile and a strong but loving hand. Dr. Scavella, along with his staff, motivates the students to maximize their potential everyday and is a great example of an exemplary leader. He exudes compassion and kindness but never lets anybody mistake his kindness for weakness. His strength is rooted in his greatest achievement: earning a doctorate in philosophy, which led him to becoming the principal of this great learning institution.

During the three years that he has tirelessly served as our principal, he has made a lasting impression and has brought a positive cultural and climate change to Northeast. His dedication and hard work has led to students receiving their diploma and going on to pursue a post-secondary education or to enter the workforce fully prepared. Because of the vision and efforts of this great man, Northeast has been able to shed the negative image that had unjustly been placed on our school in the past. Northeast is now a place we all can be proud to call home, and Dr. Scavella is a man who we are honored to call Principal.

Assistant Principals

With the help of Dr. Jeffrey Ashley and Dr. Julia Daniely, Northeast is making a transition into a school of excellence.

Dr. Julia Daniely

Life as an assistant principal in six words:

"Supporting Northeast's vision and daily success."



Dr. Jeffrey Ashley

Dr. Ashley sums up his life in six words:

"Time today is all we have."

Administrative Support Team



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*Instructional Lead Teacher &
Title 1 Coordinator*



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11th & 12th Grade Counselor



Cathy Denson
9th & 10th Grade Counselor

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A Letter From the Editor-In-Chief



Kayla J. Cooper, Editor-in-Chief



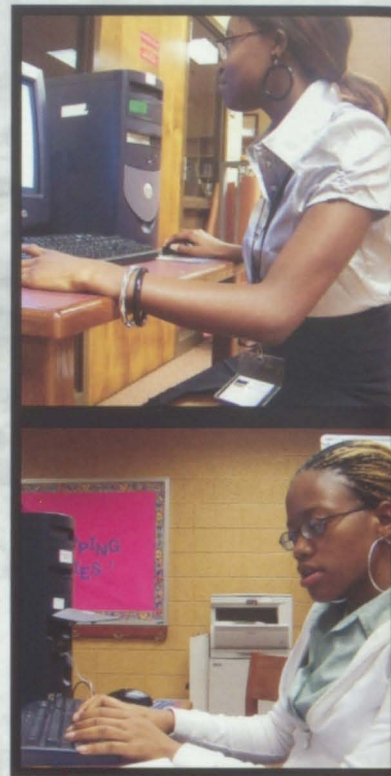
Shana Burton, Yearbook Adviser

On behalf of our principal Dr. Scavella, yearbook adviser Shana Burton, and the yearbook staff, we thank you for your support of our 2008-2009 Valhalla yearbook. We promise that every page in this book will give you an up-close-and-personal view into the lives of our Raider family.

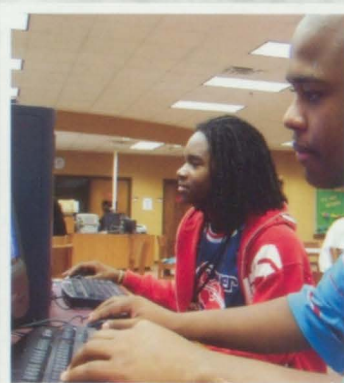
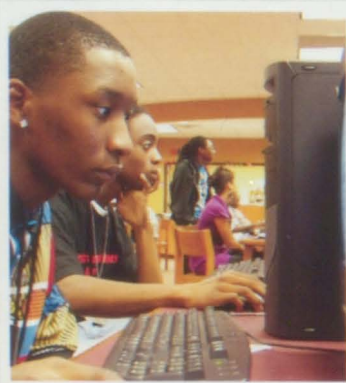
This book is filled with the many memories we've created throughout this year at Northeast High. Inside these pages, you will find lifelong friendships, great accomplishments, and the inspirational educators who made these accomplishments possible. We have included the good memories, along with the bad ones, because we realize that you cannot learn and accomplish great things without struggling for them. Yet, we, the Mighty Raiders always prevail.

In closing, we hope that viewing this book will make you laugh, cry, reminisce, and fill you with a sense of that Raider Pride. We should be proud because we have faced many obstacles with dignity. We have mastered life on "The Hill" and are now moving to the mountaintop!

Kayla J. Cooper, Editor-in-Chief



(Top) Senior Brandy Whisby concentrates on her work.
(Bottom) Junior Shaneice Rouse makes sure that her pages are finished.



Our yearbook editors and staff work hard to ensure that you receive a "top-notch" yearbook.

Life As We Know It

In Raider Country



(Left) The Diplomats work as hard as they play.

(Center) Junior Nicole Sherrard and Sophomore Darrius Kinder have a picture-perfect friendship.

(Above) These Raiders give new meaning to the word "tacky."

(Below) Juniors Johnnisha Curry and Quinterious Hillman know books and buddies go hand-in-hand!



Live Your Life

Laughs, tears, victory, defeat— it's all a part of this thing we call life at Northeast High School. Like most teens, we go through our trials, have our friendships tested, and strive each day to be better people than we were yesterday.

Our lives today are as complicated or as simple as we make them. The choices we face range from "what shoes match this outfit" to "how do I tell my girlfriend that I've outgrown this relationship?" Thankfully, there are good friends, great clothes, and fabulous times to make our lives on "The Hill" that much better.



(Left) Senior Craig Bass brings music to life.

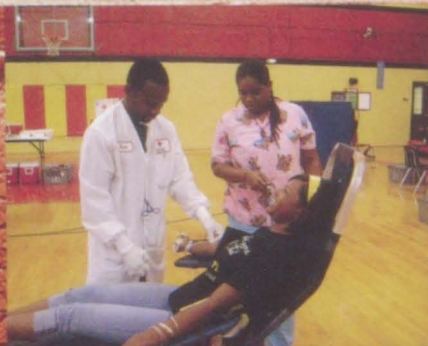
(Above Center) Senior Kimberly Taylor is never camera-shy.

(Left) The juniors know a good pep rally when they see one.



(Above) Seniors Kierra Williams, Octavia White, and Junior ShaVisia Parham are in the spirit during Homecoming week.

The First Days On "The Hill"



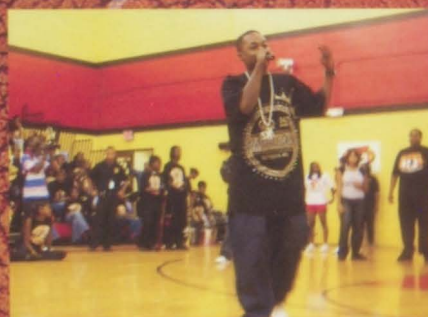
FBLA starts the year off by saving lives through their blood drive.



Ms. Braswell toots Northeast's horn to a family during the Back-to-School Rally.



Motivational speaker Mr. Brown encourages students to strive for the next level.



Blazin' 92.3 helps Northeast kick off the new school year during a pep rally.



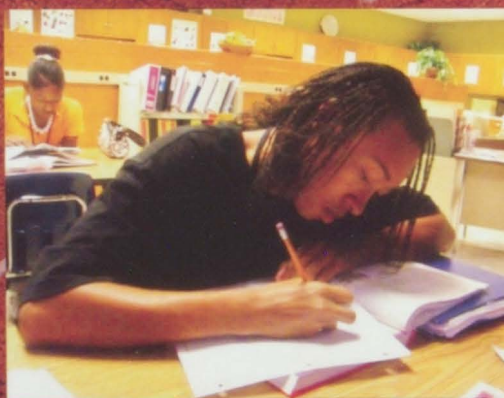
The varsity cheerleaders are happy to be reunited after a long summer apart.



Dr. Scavella conducts student orientation to make sure that the first day of school runs smoothly.



Raiders race to beat the tardy bell to class.



Senior Jordan Gallemore works hard to avoid a case of "senioritis."



Ms. Lynch and Mrs. Lawson don't mind spending their weekend promoting our school.

First, there were small clues: back-to-school commercials on TV, first block schedules in the mail, and the reappearance of yellow buses after a summer-long hiatus. On August 8, it became official. The first day of school brought back familiar faces and introduced new ones. Each day brings us closer to graduation day, but it all starts with the first one.

Meals on the "Hill"

Between hard classes, cluttered hallways, and never ending work is lunch. Lunch is the most important meal of the day for many at Northeast. When else can we indulge in cookies, burgers, and fries-- all while having a good time?

Nobody does lunch better than Lasseter!



Seniors Bryant Harris and Telvin Singleton relax and take in the view during lunch.



Seniors Key'erra Rozier, Kim Taylor, Phillip Billingslea, Tamia Burke, and Calvin Brown enjoy a bite to eat.



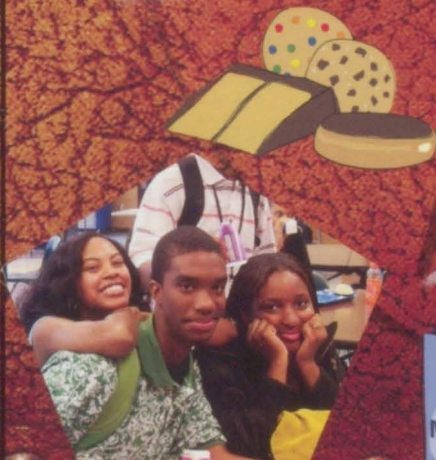
Junior Dewann Davis has a good laugh and a good meal during lunch.



Sophomore Quintarrius Hillman watches on as a student chugs his food.



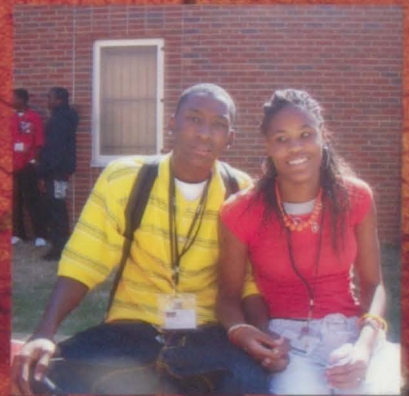
Junior Sierra "Ce'Ce" Williams devours her sandwich.



Junior Jessica Alston, Sophomore Antonio Norris, and Junior Krystal Lewis break for laughs and lunch.



Senior Mondoreo Stanley savors each bite of his food.



Senior Alonzo Thompson and Freshman Shantess Hart use lunch time to get to know each other.

Friends on the Hill

A good friend is someone who tells you the truth, no matter how much it hurts. Friends are able to say they're sorry when they are wrong; they build relationships instead of breaking them. There isn't a hill or mountain high enough to keep these Raiders apart.



Freshmen Renya Curtis and Amahni Mc Nair are the best of friends.



Sophomore Riki Rhodes and Senior Crystal Brown are friends to the end.



Seniors Tamia Burke and Ke'Yerra Rozier's friendship dates back to preschool.



Junior Phillip Buckley and Senior Erica King share a laugh between friends.



Seniors Emanuel Pleasant, Jarvis Smith, JohnaQuay Jinwright, Sheldon Mays, Juniors Jawara Glover, Travis Sherman and Sophomore Davine Hill are friends on and off the football field.



Seniors Kayla Cooper, Erica Ford, and Ciarra Turner form a friendship trio.



The group of seniors and juniors who make up "The Ericas" have their first names and much more in common.



Senior Kimberly Taylor and Sophomore Edward Cooper show friendly love.



Seniors Tevin Singleton and Tamala Sands prove that males and females can be "just friends."



Seniors Michelle Johnson and Sharonica Jackson epitomize true friendship.



Seniors Sierra Barnes, Breonna Andrews, and India Richardson know the meaning of real friendship.



Seniors Cherie Johnson and JuanTierra Thomas have been friends since 9th grade.



Junior Chella Glover and Senior Victor Grayer are great friends.



The football field has made the bond between freshmen Shaquille Sanders, Curtis Whisby, and Tommy Dumas even stronger.



Northeast cheerleaders cheer each other on in times of joy and sorrow.

Hottest Fashions On "The Hill"

In today's celebrity-obsessed culture, fashion is often the dominant image associated with it. Here at Northeast--where the hallway often doubles as a runway-- a person's sense of fashion can have a lot to do with what people think about him or her, such as personality, where a person comes from, the people they associate with, and a lot more. When rummaging through the closet for that all-important t-shirt or the perfect pair of jeans, remember fashion rule number one: ABC-- Always Be Cute! Clothing choices say a lot about you, so choose wisely and carry yourself accordingly. The Fashion Police could be just around the corner, and you never get a second chance to make a first impression.



(Left) Freshman Carey Mobley shows off her uniquely multi-colored nails, fresh from the nail salon.



(Above) Senior Raven Plummer profiles her classy and jazzy twisted up-do.

(Right) Sophomore Markia Williams combines color and high-fashion with her rainbow-colored Coach high-top sneakers.



(Right) Senior Latethia Jones poses in her dark skinny-leg jeans with a lime-green South Pole shirt and matching green and white Nike Fusions.

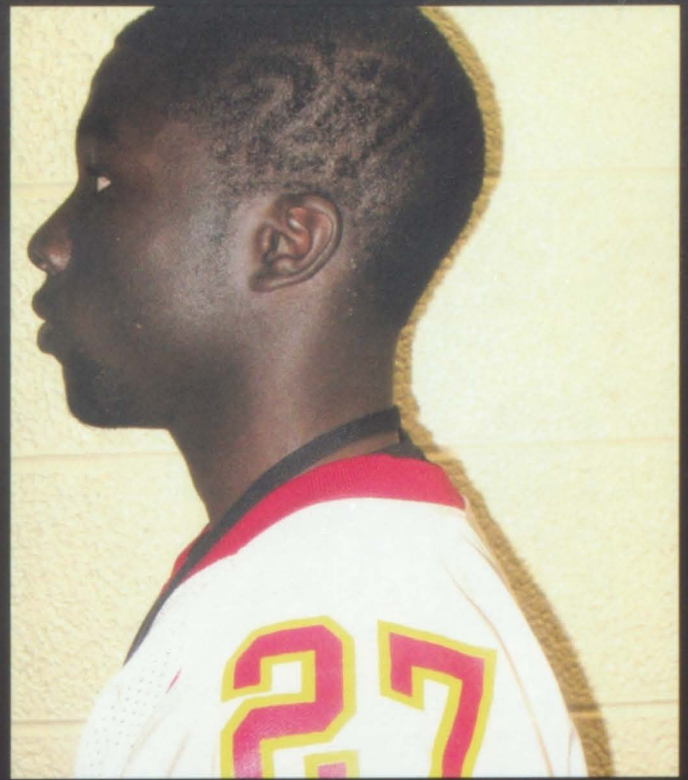


(Right) Senior DeAndria Green is laid-back and fab in a red dress accessorized with gold Baby Phat wedge heels and a matching belt.





(Left) Sophomore Edward Cooper gets his "grown man" on in a black vest and red tie.



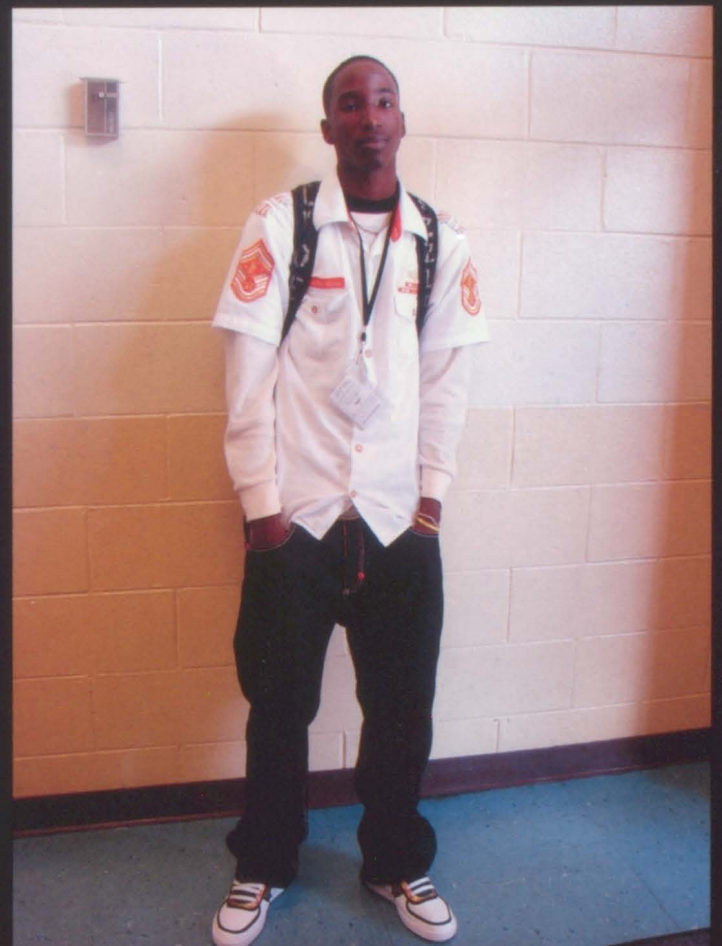
(Above) Senior Emanuel Pleasant wears his football number with pride.



(Above) Senior Adarius Cornelius sports his trademark dreadled twists.

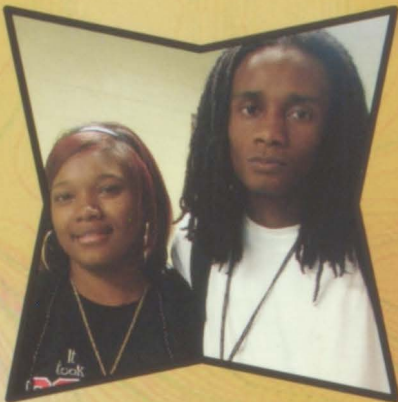


(Above) Senior Antoine Gay looks like he just stepped off of the pages of GQ in his sweater vest and matching dress shirt and tie.



(Above) Senior Cedric Lane shows off his army style collar shirt with matching jeans and shoes.

Siblings Last a Lifetime



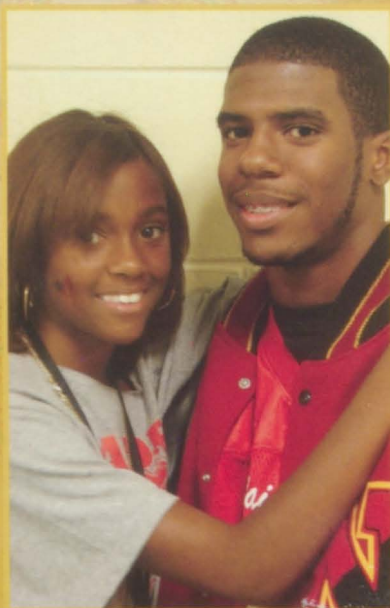
Senior Tymesha Timely and Junior Tavorris Battle are siblings by chance and friends by choice.



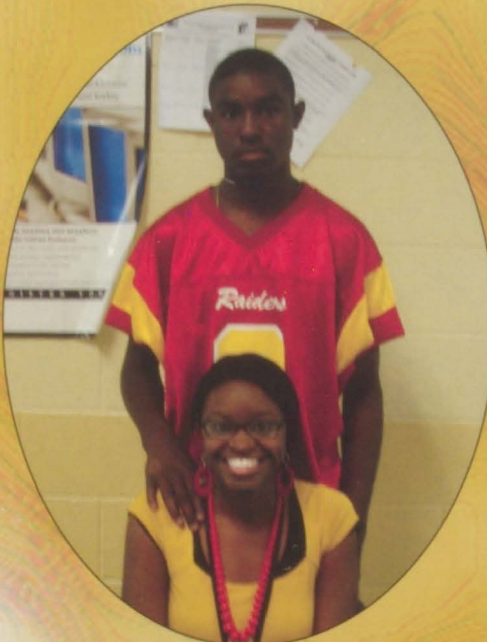
Senior Brandon Stanley always looks out for younger sister Sophomore Skylarr Stanley.



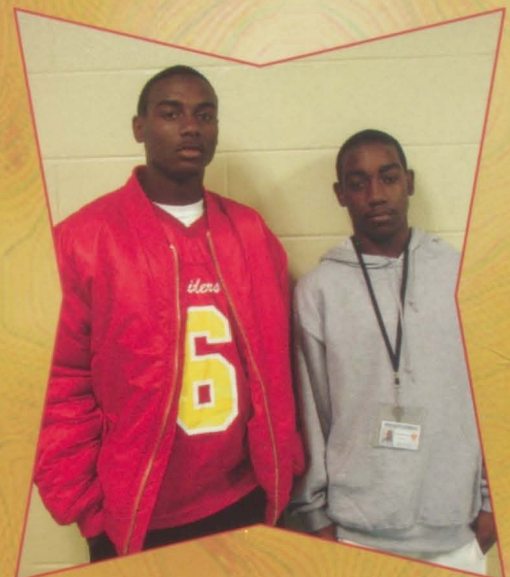
Freshman twin sisters Aninya and Taniya Thomas and are hard to tell apart.



Freshman TaNeshia West and Senior Sheldon Mays enjoys each other company at school.



Senior Brandy Whisby and Freshman Curtis Whisby are coordinated in style and DNA.



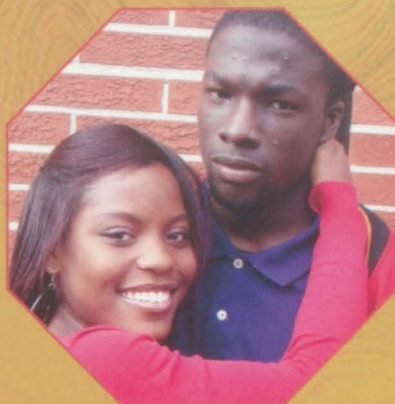
Senior Quintavious Nelson and Freshman Frederick Nelson shares looks and their competitive spirit.



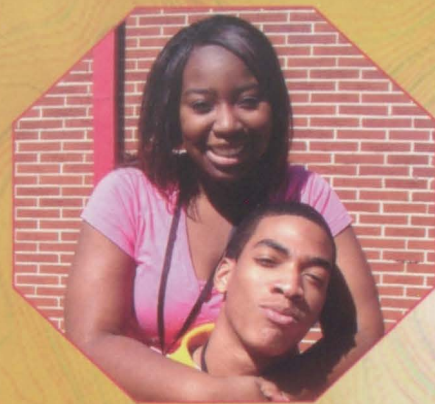
Senior Victor Crawford and sibling Freshman Vanezza Crawford celebrate hat and shade day for a good cause.

Love 'n' Life

High school relationships are more meaningful than just the person you take to the Homecoming dance or prom and more significant than just the person you hang out with on Saturday nights. A boyfriend or a girlfriend is the person that you share your thoughts with, and who makes you a better person. Take a look at our couples who are "heads-over-hills" for one another.



Seniors Emanuel Pleasant and JuanTierra Thomas have been together for two years.



Juniors Andrew Ammons and Ashley Jones are a great match.



Sophomores Davine Hill and Shikeria Morgan are "head-over-hills" in love with each other.



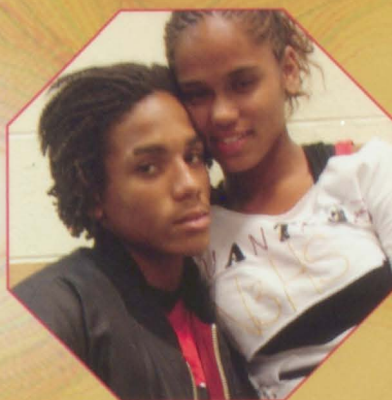
Seniors Jarvis Smith and Victoria Sandifer have found true bliss with each other.



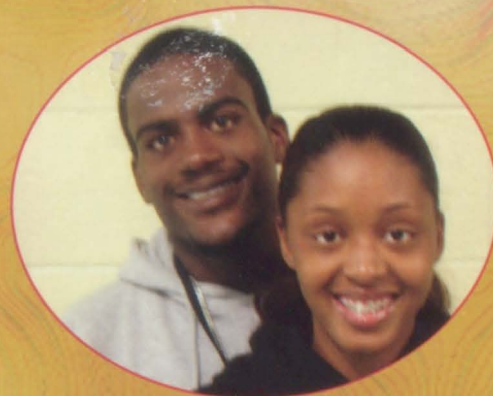
Seniors Ambres Reese and Sierra Barnes have the look of love.



Seniors Derrick Stanley and Cherie Johnson are a match made on "The Hill."



Sophomore Juantreze Williams and Freshman Courtney Dixon have been attached since day one.



Seniors Gregory Holston and Shaunatori Gibson have gone through the struggle, but they're still holding on.

Life in the Fast Lane

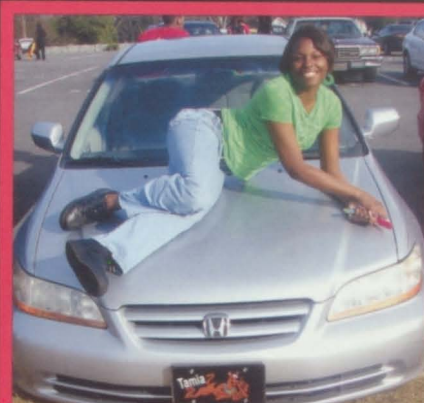
Nothing is more exciting than getting your first car! Being young and having the freedom to go anywhere you want to go is every teenager's dream. Owning a car means finally having something that you can call your own— no more catching rides with your friends or getting left behind. Life in Raider Country is great, but it doesn't hurt to have a nice car to help you enjoy the ride.



Senior Elyse Crawford sits on the hood in the 'hood.



Senior Jarvis Smith poses with his brown-box Chevy.



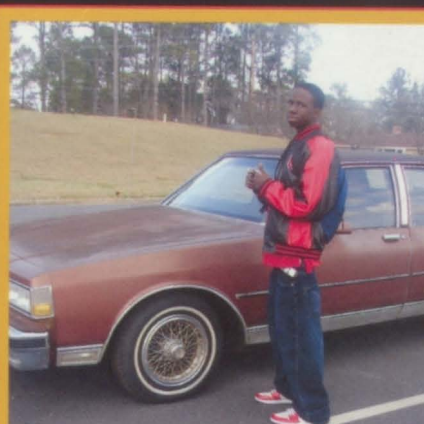
Senior Jamia Burke shows off her Honda and Scooby-Doo name plate with pride.



Junior Jawara Glover hits the road in his classic Lincoln Towncar.

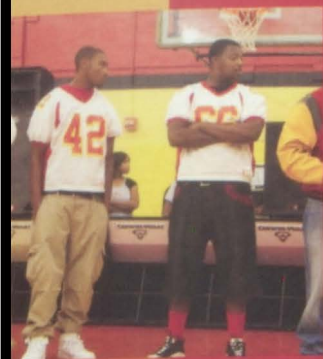


Senior LaTeitha Jones hits red hot in and out of her Mustang.



Junior Willie Manson enjoys the sweet life in his chocolate-brown Chevy.

Fall Sports



On Your Mark...

Cross Country Goes the Distance



(Left) Freshman Teneshia West is focused on crossing the finish line.

(Center) Senior Victor Grayer runs with the heart and pride of a Raider.



(Left) Senior Jamel Harris never stops striving.



(Above) Junior Albertina Dean isn't afraid of a little sweat.



(Right) Freshman Jerryshia Williams leaves her opponents in the wind.



Top Row from left to right: Coach Randy Crawford, Coach Cynthia Booker, Maria Bond, Kierra Rozier, Charnequa Jordan, Ericka Travet and Coach Alvin Copeland. Bottom Row: Cyler Ward, Renya Curtis, Teneshia West, Amber Poole and Albertina Dean.



Top Row from right to left: Coach Dartez Talbot, Demarkis Willis, Victor Grayer, Jamel Harris, and Christian Plummer. Bottom Row: Jacobi Smith, Darrion Greene, Dontreviun Ross, and Argentina Gibson.

Cross Country is one of the most exhilarating and challenging sports that can ever be done. The Raider Cross Country team knows that if they try their best, both on and off the field, then anything is possible.

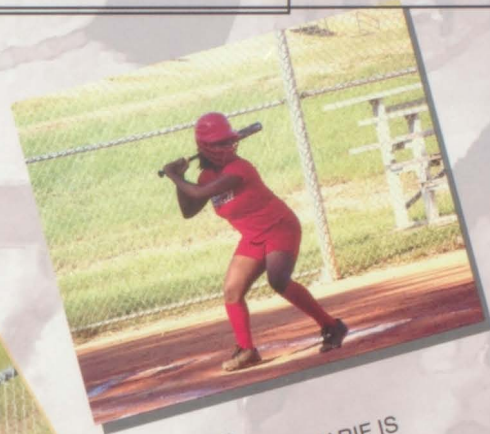
THE LIFE OF A DIAMOND GIRL



SOPHOMORE JANEANASH, FRESHMAN JARIDICE KING, SENIOR ERICA TRAVET, AND SOPHOMORE JOSEYLN ROSS PREPARE FOR THEIR SOFTBALL GAME.



#4
SENIOR
CHERIE
JOHNSON
Center
Field



JUNIOR
SIDDEQUAH SHARIF IS
READY TO PLAY SOME
BALL

#2

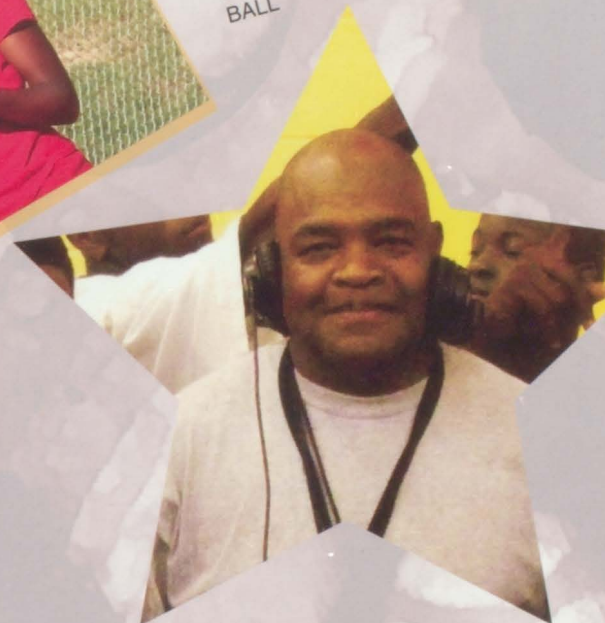
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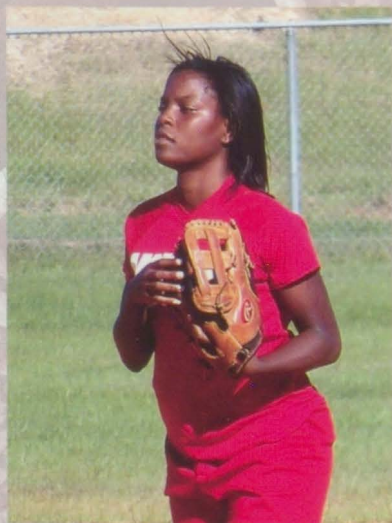
FRESHMAN RAVEN
PORTER PITCHES THE
BALL.

#28

SOPHOMORE
SHAQUALA
DAVIS
Right Field



**THE
SOFTBALL TEAM IS
LEAD BY THE MAN
COACH ROBERT
WOODS**



SENIOR JUANTIERRA
THOMAS IS READY
FOR THE PLAY



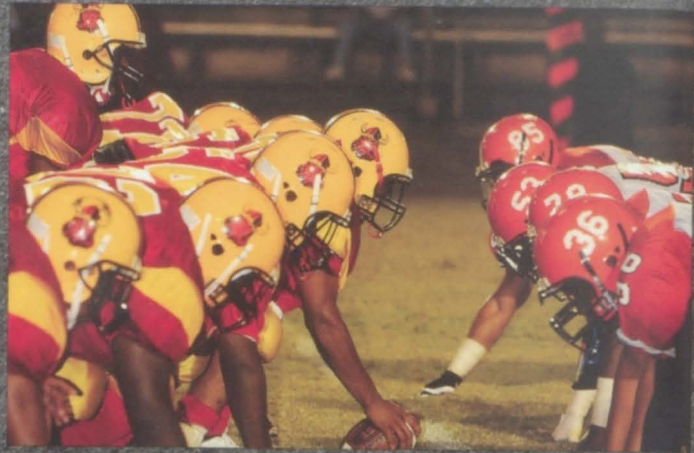
JUNIOR
SIDDEQUAH
SHARIFF
PREPARES TO
CATCH THE
BALL

Softball is one of the top sports at Northeast. Many girls play these Raiderettes have perfected the game. These diamond princesses have "good game." Who else is better than Northeast? Each of these girls are some of the best "The Hill" has to offer. These diamond girls know how to shine.

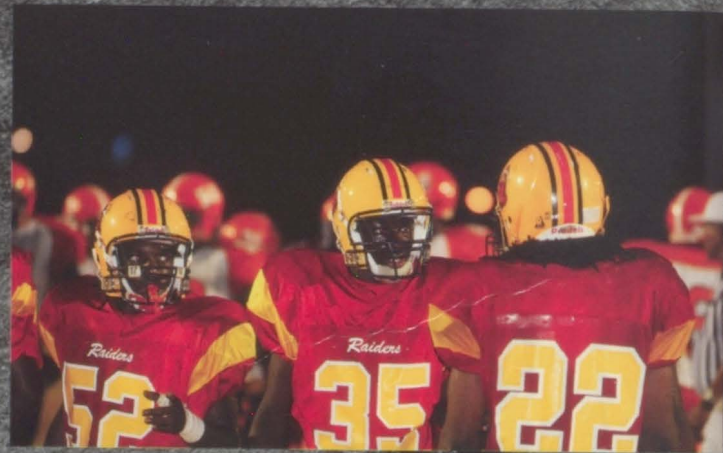
One Life, One Team,



(Left-Right, Bottom-Top)- Senior Varsity Members: Mariah Harris, Jessica Jordan, Taylor Williams, Kim Taylor, Deandria Green, Phillip Billingslea, Brandon Stanley, Coach Bruce Mullen, Reggie Scott, Jarvis Smith, Reginald Poole, Sheldon Mays, Derrick Stanley, Emanuel Pleasant, Jarius Bryant, Nate Walker, Sidney Brown, Calvin Brown, Deonte Gainey, Terrance Brown, Jamell Hall, Quintavious Nelson, and Adarius Cornelius.



The unstoppable offense gets ready to snap the ball.

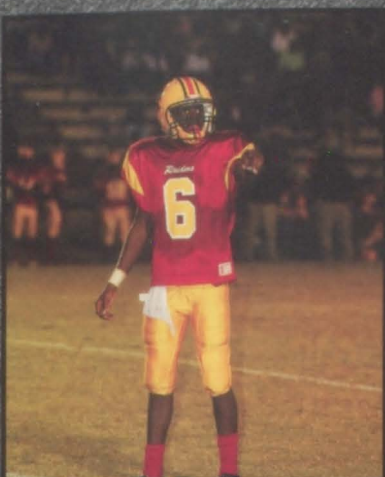


Senior A.J. Cornelius talks over the next play with Sophomore Evarius Pleasant and Junior Devin Heard.

A Fight To The Hilltop!

The Northeast Raiders really worked hard this summer to ensure that this year's football season would not end in defeat like last season's did. Head coach Bruce Mullen constantly reminds the team of how they ended on a bad note with a missed field goal during a playoff game and how this year they need to avoid this at all costs. The Raiders went to Valdosta during the summer and defeated many teams from all around Georgia, Florida, and Alabama. They finished in second place for the tournament. They also took on many other teams from around the region to get a jump on the season. As a result, they performed well. "One life, one team, one champion" is the new chant for the seniors that reminds them to leave it all on the field and how they need to avoid making the same mistake. The Raiders depend on the new senior starters of the team, who are #4 Sheldon Mays (CB/WR), #6 Quintavious Nelson (WR), #22 A.J. Cornelius (RB/LB), #16 Nathaniel Walker (FS), #27 Emanuel Pleasant (CB), #36 Reginald Poole (SS), #85 Deonte Gainey (TE/LB), and #88 Jamell Hall (DE). The team looks forward to having a great season and winning the championship this year and the years to come. Go Raiders!

One Champion On The Hill!



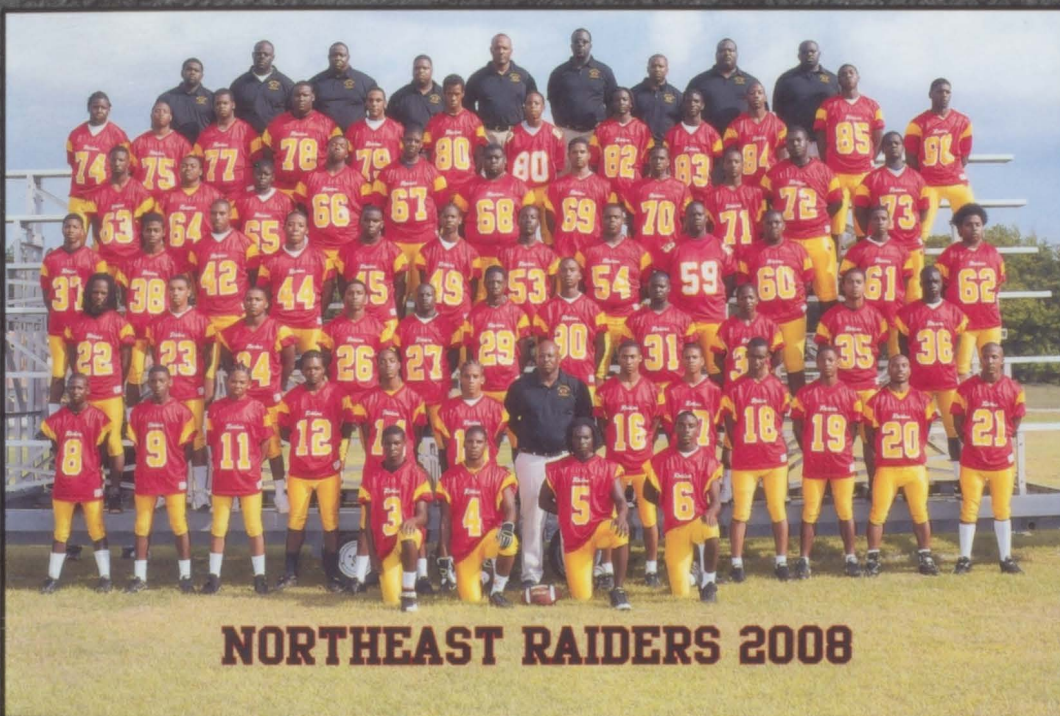
Senior Quintavious Nelson gets his alignment with a referee.



Senior A.J. Cornelius runs past defenders.



Junior Mike Palmer and the offensive line get ready to snap the ball.



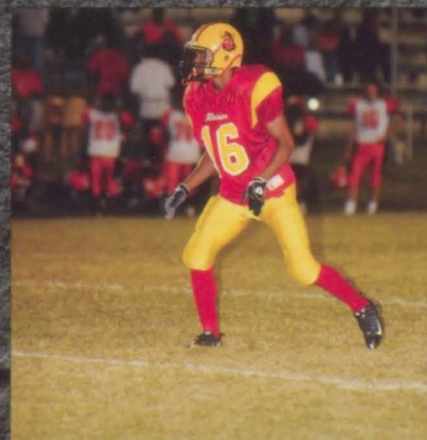
NORTHEAST RAIDERS 2008

Players In Numerical Order:

Curtis Whisby (F), Sheldon Mays (Sr.), Devon Heard (Jr.), Quintavious Nelson (Sr.), Tommy Dumas (So), Dionte Towles (Fr), Tobias Tinsley (Fr), Jarvis Smith (Sr), Terrance Brown (Sr), Juanterez Williams (So), Nathaniel Walker (Sr), Tony Scott (So), Shaquille Sanders (Fr), Ronquez Thomas (Fr), Derrick Stanley (Sr), Quantez Parks (Jr), Adarius Cornelius (Sr), Edward Cooper (So), Brandon Stanley (Sr), Reginald Scott (Sr), Emanuel Pleasant (Sr), Jarius Bryant (Sr), Trae Clark (So), Jerrod King (So), Evarius Pleasant (Fr), Mike Massey (So), Nigel Woodford (So), Travis Sherman (Jr), Robert Spence (So), Derial Watson (Jr), Emonte Curtis (Fr), Roscoe Williams (Fr), Traydarius Council I (Jr), Levi Toomer (Fr), Royvis Veal (Fr), Jacobi Standifer (So), Demond Solomon (So), Reginald Poole (Sr), Phillip Billingslea (Sr), Tevin Harris (Fr), Sydney Brown (Sr), Jerry Brooks (Fr), Antonio King (Fr), Ben Ross (Jr), Eric Cleveland (So), Michael Brown (So), Michael Bryant (So), Keith Booze (Fr), Stevie Davis (So), Justin Woods (Fr), Jawarra Glover (Jr), Brandon Mullen (Fr), Dontarius Thomas (Fr), Kym Marshall (Jr), Calvin Brown (Sr), Deonte Gainey (Sr), and Jamell Hall (Sr). Mike Palmer (Jr) (picture not included).



Senior Sheldon Mays "revs-up" the team during a pep rally.

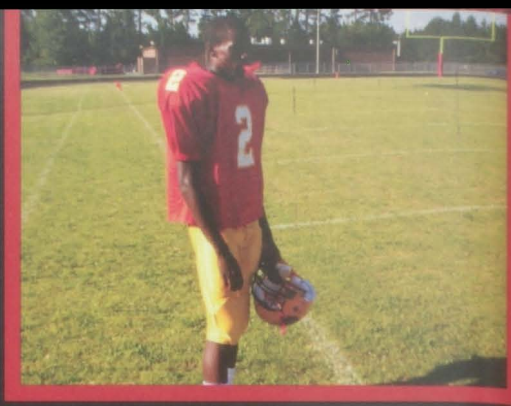


Senior Nathaniel Walker is on defense for the Raiders.

Junior Varsity Football



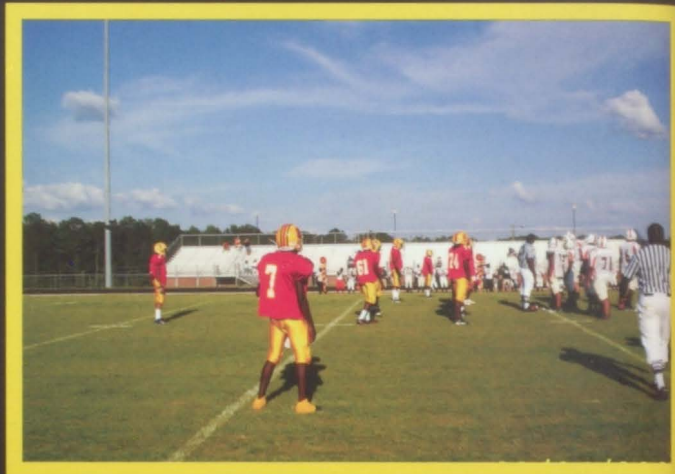
Freshman Curtis Whisby rests after a touchdown.



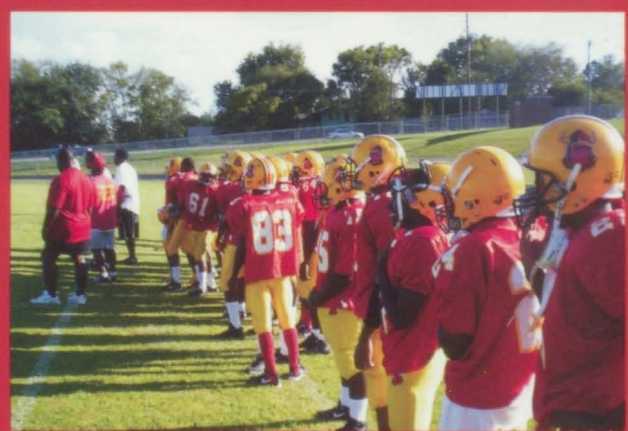
Freshman Deontae Willams watches his team perform from the sidelines.



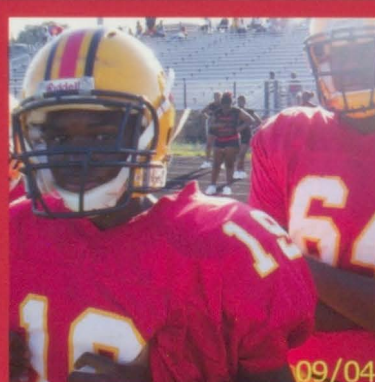
The coaches make sure that the junior varsity football team is ready for action.



Northeast Raiders on defense.



The team watches as they get ready for another play.



HOMECOMING

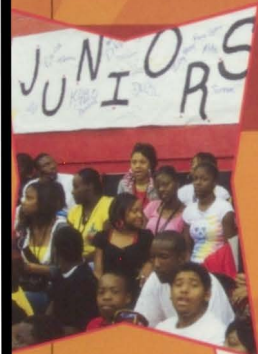
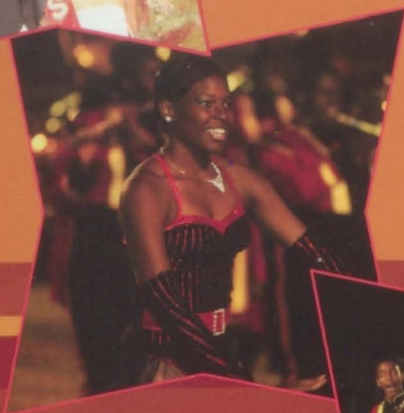
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"KINGS AND QUEENS OF THE HILL"

With the fall comes that special time of year for Raiders old and young Homecoming. This occasion is week marked by a weeklong celebration that includes crazy themes like Tacky Day, Celebrity Day. Homecoming also features pep-rallies and other activities to celebrate Raider pride. Most importantly, homecoming is a time for Raiders to crown new kings and queens of the Hill.



Living Like Kings & Queens



Mr. & Miss Northeast

*Craig Bass & Octavia White were crowned
Mr. & Miss Northeast Homecoming 2008.*



Mr. & Miss Senior

*Mr. Senior Jemelle Harris & Miss
Senior Tierra Johnson*

2008



Mr. & Miss Freshman

*Mr. Freshman Iekia Brown & Miss
Freshman Re'nya Curtis*



Mr. & Miss Sophomore

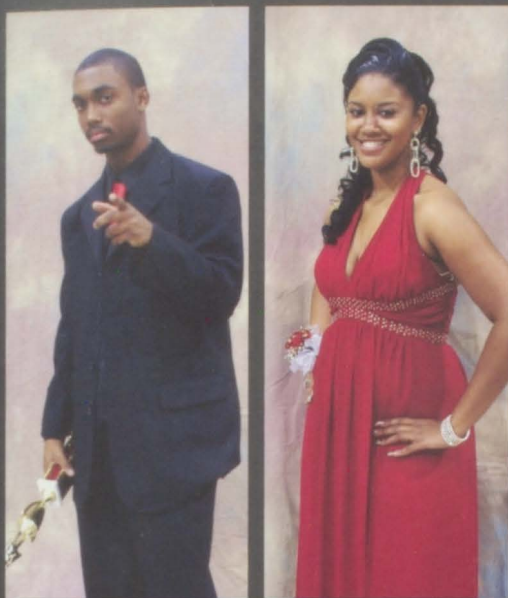
*Mr. Sophomore Terrence Collier & Miss
Sophomore Cyler Ward*



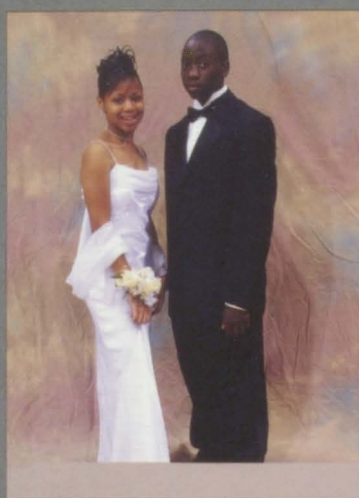
Mr. & Miss Junior

*Mr. Junior Dawann Davis & Miss
Junior Tia Collins*

2008 Homecoming Court



*Mr. & Miss Northeast
Runner-Ups Ambres Reese &
Jessica Burnnett*



*(Above) Runner-up for Mr.
Freshman Samuel Shorts escorted
by Runner-up for Miss Freshman
Umeko Frazier*



*(Above) Runner-up for
Mr. Sophomore Kwame
Pettigrew escorted by Junior
Ashley Bond*



*(Above) Runner-up for Mr. Junior
Christopher Alexander escorted by
Junior T'Keyah Gray*



*(Right) Runner-up for Mr. Senior
Jordan Gallemore escorted by Senior
Ashlei Cason*



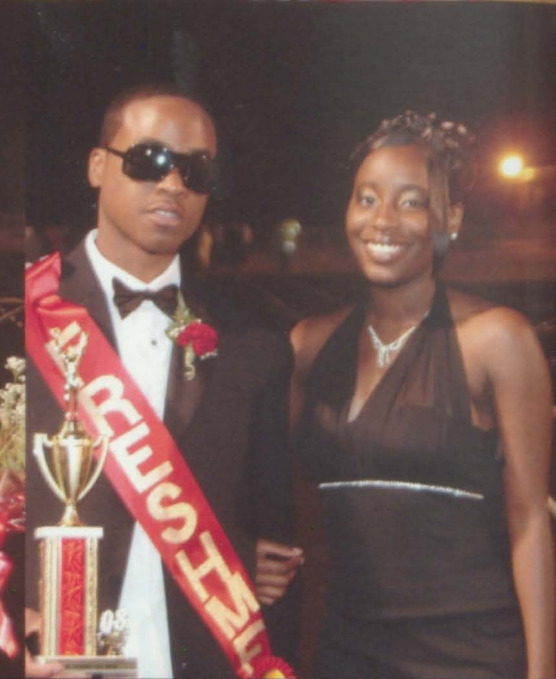
*(Above) Runner-up for Miss
Senior Juantierra Thomas
escorted by Senior Tarrus
Wallace*



*(Left) Runner-up for
Miss Junior Tiara
Morgan escorted by
Senior Perfect Stone*



*(Left) Runner-up for Miss
Sophomore Shikeria Morgan
escorted by Junior Ashley
Brown*





*Tacky
Tuesday*

*Throwback
Thursday*



Homecoming Week



*Wild
Out
Wednesday*

*Friday
Spirit
Day*





Senior Victor Crawford being the nerd that he is on Nerd Day.



Senior Dwayne Johns shows his silly side on Tacky Day.



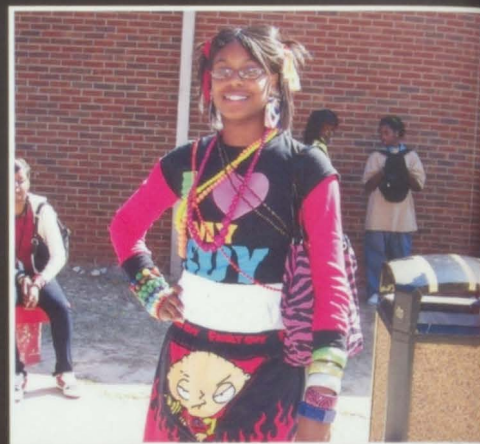
Senior Angela Bradley encourages all Raiders to get into the Tacky Day spirit.



The Showing



Junior Kierra Coley's outfit on Nerd Day was nerd day success.

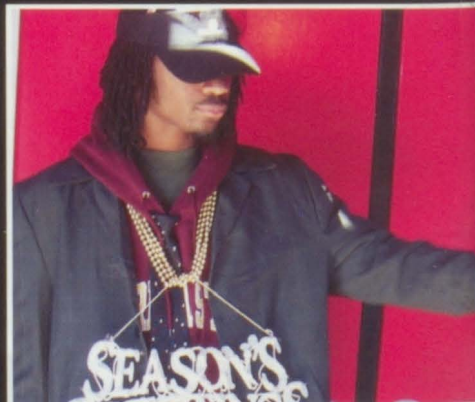


Sophomore Maria Bond shows how well she can break every fashion law.

Juniors Kiera Johnson and Tangela Stokes enjoy the sun while expressing their tacky creativity.



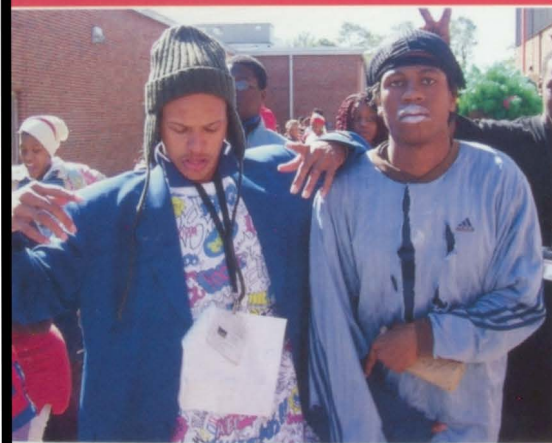
Senior Akeem Sanders lets his Tacky Day pride be known school wide



Hillside that Raider Pride



Spirit Week



Junior Alex Windham and Senior John Williams letting everyone know just how tacky they can get on Tacky Day.

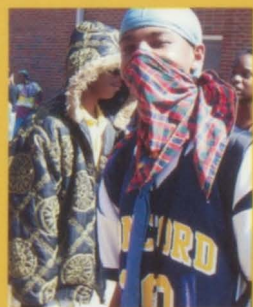
Juniors Shauntavia Stone, Heaven Whitby, and Jeliza Larry showing their Raider pride '70s style.



Senior Ashlei Cason doesn't let the cool weather stop her from being a hot mess.



Senior Mariah Harris is as happy as she is tacky.

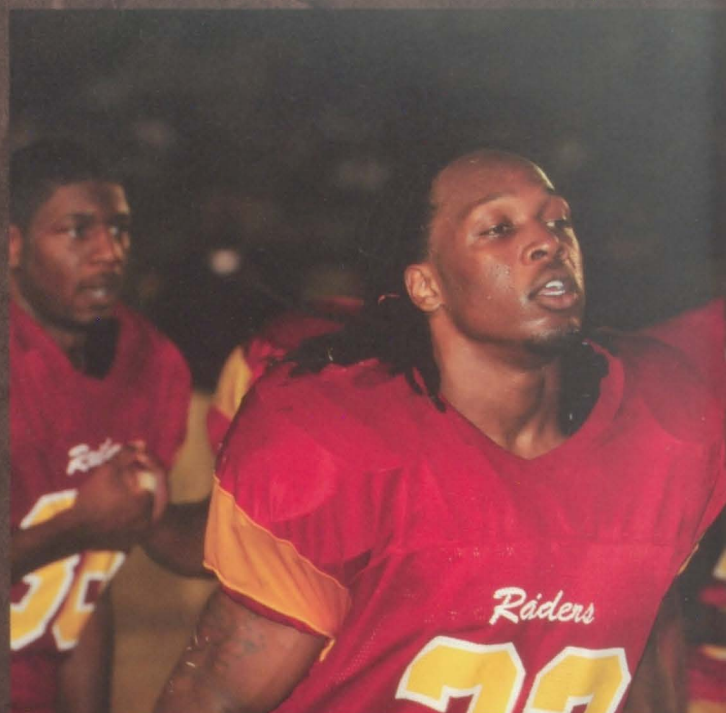


The Raiders are so tacky that it's scary!



Sophomore I'keiyanecia Smith may be in class but lacks class on Tacky Day.

(Right) Seniors Adarius Cornelius and Jamel Hall lead their team on the field as the Northeast Raiders take on the Henry County Warhawks.



Kings on the Football Field

October is the time of year that the Northeast staff and student body celebrate Homecoming Week. Raiders and Raiderettes celebrate days such as Tacky Day, Nerd Day, Celebrity Day, and Oldies Day, but at the end of the week, it is all about that Raider pride as the students celebrate Spirit Day.

Everybody dresses in red, black, and gold to support the best football team in Middle Georgia.



(Left) Junior Mike Palmer looks toward the sideline to see what his coaches want to do on the next play as the Raider offense march down the field.



(Above) Senior Adarius Cornelius tries to make the tackle against the Henry County ball carrier.

(Right) Junior Mike Palmer throws a perfect pass as Senior Reginald Scott blocks the Henry County defender.



(Right) Senior Derrick Stanley is determined to break up the pass as he wrestles with the Henry County receiver.



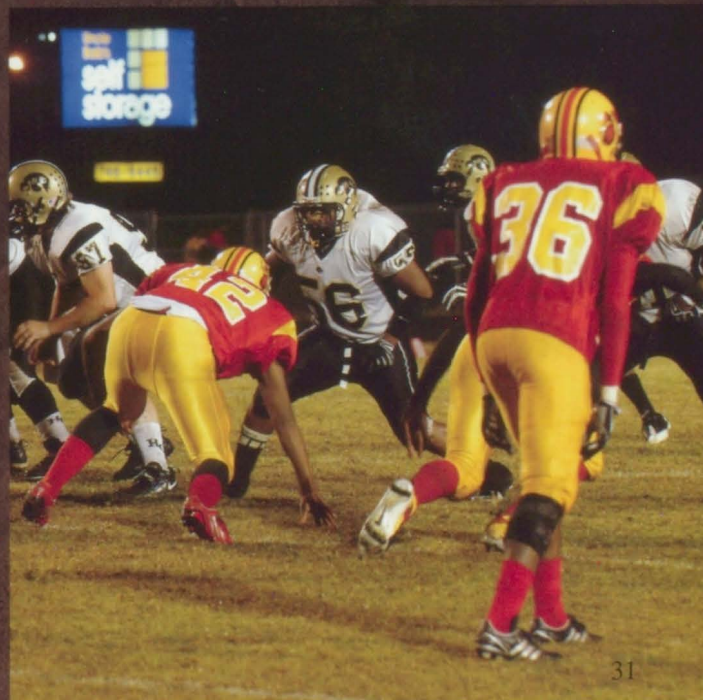
(Left) Senior Sheldon Mays is ready to make a big play for that dynamic Raider offense.



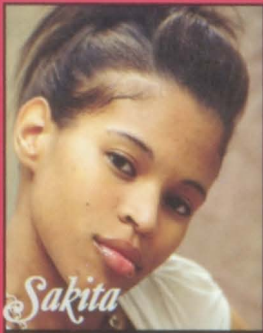
(Below) Junior Travis Sberman and Senior Reginald Poole ready to make the next big play for the tough Raider defense.



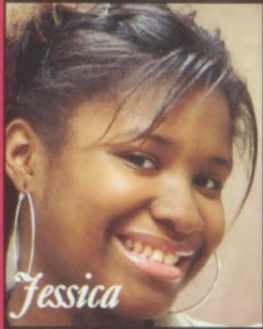
(Above) Senior Reginald Poole watches the eyes of the quarterback to anticipate where the ball is going to be.



The 2009 Phenomenal Goddess and....



Sakita



Jessica



Marcenia



Erica



From the left to right: Asblei Cason, Sbernetbia Fitzpatrick, Marcenia Burke, Crystal Daniels, Ciara Turner, Khadijah Ussery, Sakita Cooper, Tierra Johnson, Erica King, and Jessica Jordan. Not pictured, Leslie Marshall and Sbauntoria Gibson.

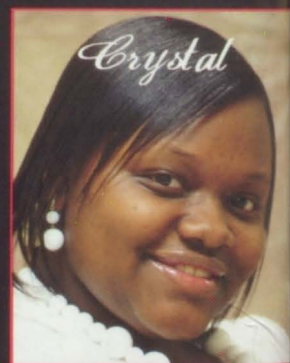
Every year, Northeast showcases its finest in the Phenomenal Goddess Scholarship Pageant. For the first time, the pageant was opened up for males to compete as well. Now, people wait with baited breath to not only see who will be crowned the Phenomenal Goddess, but also to see who will fill the crown of the Phenomenal Gent.



Asblei



Sbernetbia



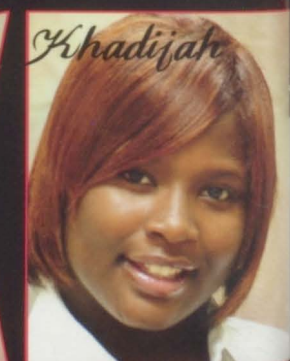
Crystal



Tierra

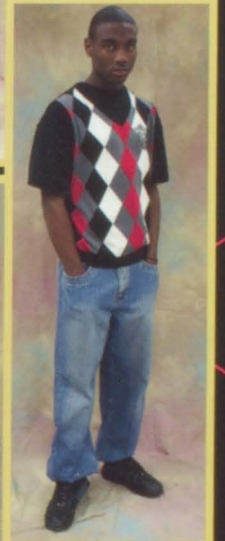
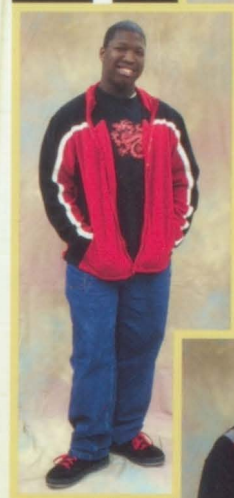
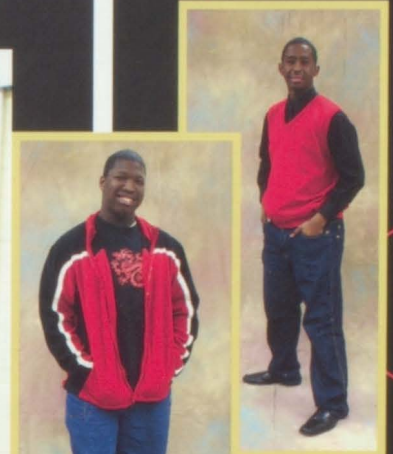


Ciara



Khadijah

Phenomenal Gent Showcase



Antoine Gay
"It's 2009...
my year to
shine!"

*Justin Lamar
Gardener*
"A conclusion is the
place where you get
tired of thinking."

*Quintavious
Nelson*
"Living my life to
the fullest and doing
my best, never
anything less."

*Christopher
Deshaun
Alexander*
"Failure is not an
option."

*Craig B.
Bass, Jr.*
"Being a
gentleman is not a
hobby or talent; it is
a way of life."

Senior Sbauntoria Gibson's dramatic monologue was a highlight of the evening.



Senior Ciara Turner has all of the right dance moves.



Senior Erica King pleases the crowd with a beautiful rendition.

Senior Asblei Cason's praise dance earned her the trophy for Most Talented.



Senior Tierra Johnson belts out a tune to entertain the crowd.



Freshman Shernetbia Fitzpatrick was crowned The 2009 Phenomenal Goddess, and she impressed the judges with an unbeatable combination of beauty and class.



The 2009 Phenomenal Goddess & Gent Scholarship Showcase Contestants

Senior Sakia Cooper models a green turtle neck and blue jeans for the daywear competition of the Phenomenal Goddess Showcase.



Senior Crystal Daniels takes control of the catwalk, as she glides across the stage.



Freshman Khadijah Ussery struts like a model across the stage.



Second Runner-up Senior Marcenia Burke is winner on & off the stage.



Junior Leslie Marshall keeps it fun & flirty during the competition.



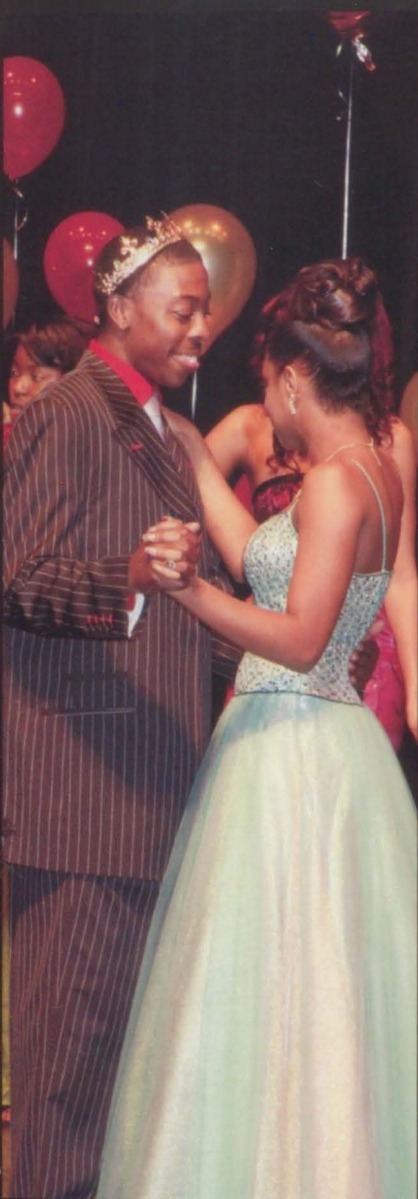
Senior Justin Gardner uses style and finesse to show the crowd why he should be crowned Phenomenal Gent.



Contestants Quintavious Nelson, Justin Gardner, and Chris Alexander show the crowd that they have the right moves.



Phenomenal Gent contestants Craig Bass, Justin Gardener, and Antoine Gay give their all during the introductory dance on stage.



The Phenomenal Goddess and Gent Showcase winners Shernethia Fitzpatrick and Justin Gardner have their dance after being crowned.



Contestant Chris Alexander poses on stage dressed to impress.



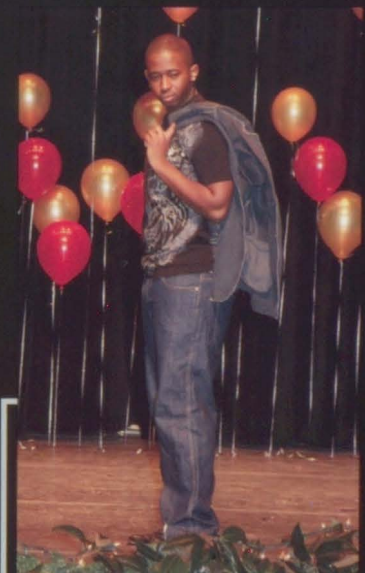
Senior Antoine Gay approaches the microphone to speak.



Contestant Quintavious Nelson is the definition of debonair during the competition.



Contestants Quintavious Nelson and Christopher Alexander perform a dance routine to help open the ceremony.

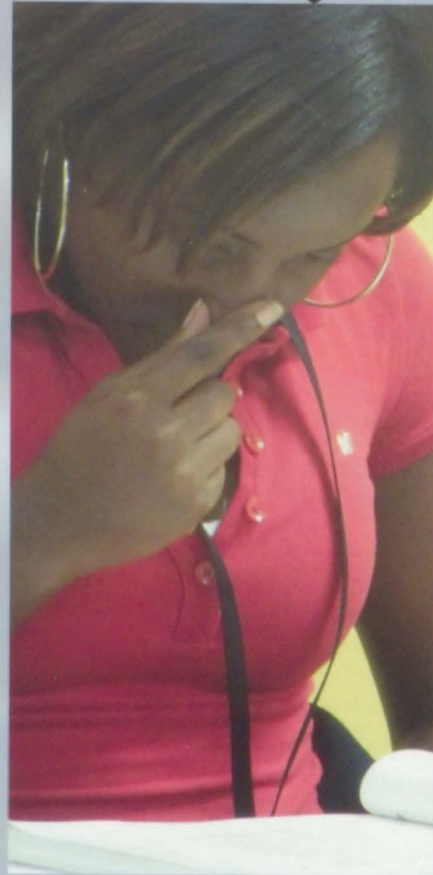


Senior Craig Bass shows the audience how much of a gentleman he is.

Life on the "A" List

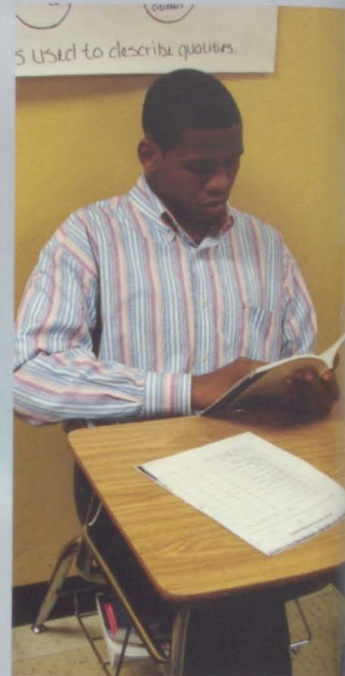


Sophomores Shanetra Glover and Sharrod Burnette exhibit higher order thinking.

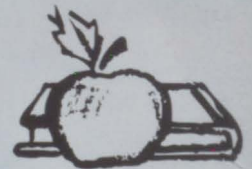


Junior Erica Deberry works hard to make the grade.

(Below) Senior John Williams is working his way to the top.



Mrs. Serls teaches her class an easier way to solve math equations.



Senior Deonate Gainey knows the answers and what it takes to excel.

Raiders Always Bring Their "A" Game!

Academics at its best!

(Right)
Sophomore
Terrence
Collier and
Senior Keitha
Reese play
their scales
with
perfection.



(Above) Mrs. Jean Baptiste keeps her class exciting in English and in Spanish.

Mrs. Washington makes
American Government fun to
learn.



(Above) Senior Taylor Williams is at the top of her class.



(Left) Senior Gregory Lemelle Harris proudly displays his Middle Georgia Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association Certificate.

Career Paths Beyond The Hill

Northeast High School has a magnet program like no other school in the Bibb County district. The magnet program at Northeast High helps prepare students for careers in the health-occupations field and a other related areas. The magnet program offers a wide selection of activities and events that students can participate in. This program challenges the mind and gives students that extra push they need to start off their careers. The magnet coordinator, Mrs. Chiquita Dinkins, says it's an educational experience that incorporates fun into learning. The magnet program also participates in competitions and is known for winning a lot of them. The magnet program gets students prepared for not only life on the hill but beyond the hill as well.

(Below) Magnet students show that they can have fun while learning.



(Below) Senior Keitha Reese provides comfort to an ailing patient.



(Above) Seniors Calvin Brown and Phillip Billingslea demonstrate knowledge of medical preparation.



(Upper left) Nursing Teacher Mr. Davis demonstrates on how to check the patient's pulse.

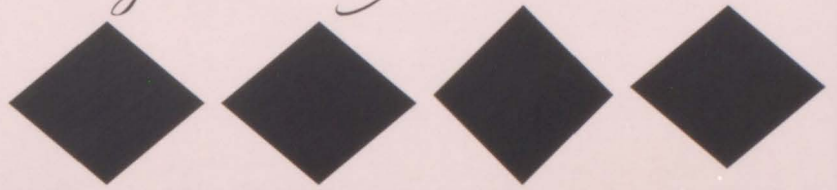


(Left) Senior Tamia Burke takes blood from a patient.



(Right) Senior Brittanie Evans checks the patient's pulse.

The Magnet Program is a program that helps students begin preparing for a career in the medical field. It also provides an exciting learning experience that helps students as they journey along their career paths to success.

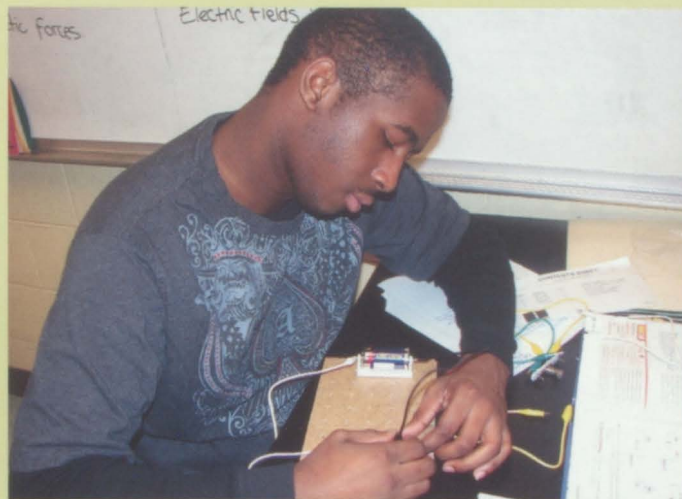


(Left to Right) Kyri Brown, Keitha Reese, Brittanie Evans, Marcenia Burke, Central Georgia Technical College Instructor Mr. Hewell
(Back Row Left To Right) Calvin Brown, Craig Bass, Phillip Billingslea

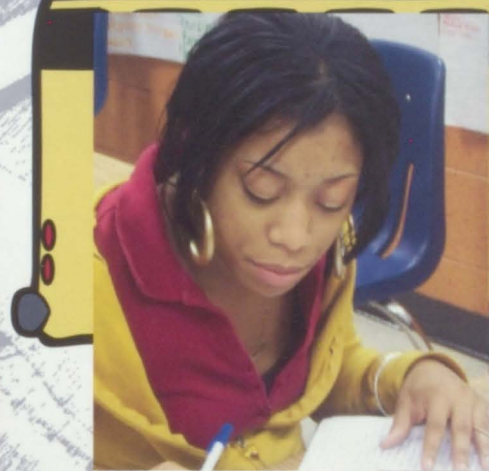
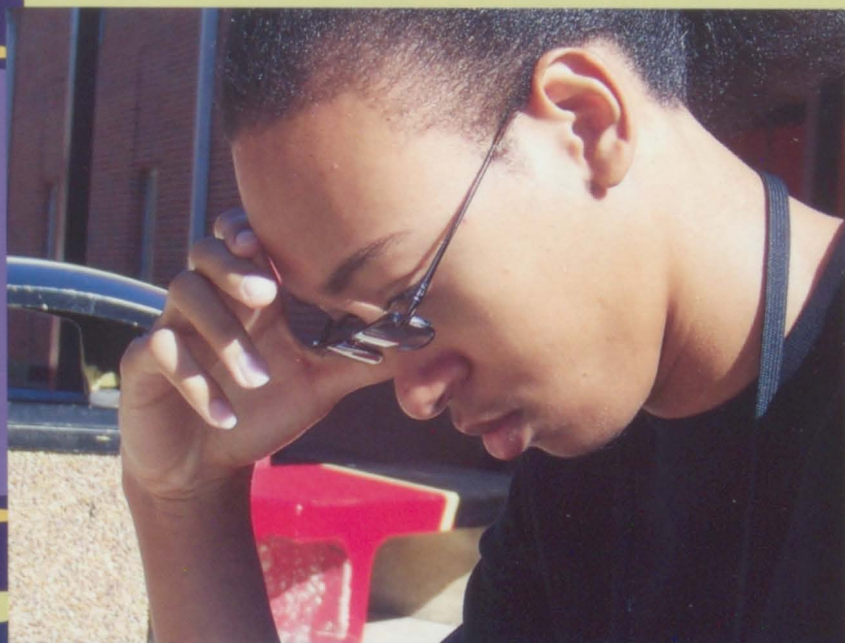
ACADEMICS ON "THE HILL"



Junior Tia Collins and Sophomore Terrence Collier help each other with their project for health class.



Senior Craig Bass finishes his physics project.



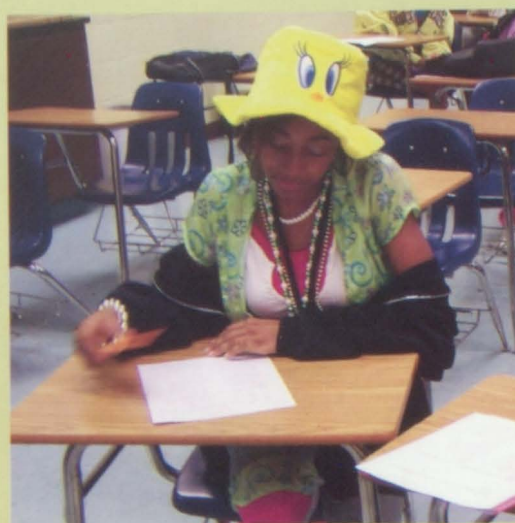
Junior Tiara Morgan focuses on her work and working hard.

Jordan Gallemore takes time to study outside.

STUDENTS AT THEIR BEST



Sophomore Shavanta Fowler finishes his work in health class.



Freshman Sierra Stallworth pays attention for success.



Sophomore Victoria Jackson demonstrates how to solve a math problem.

Our Raiders work their very best to get on the Honor Roll as well as Principal's Honor Roll. They love receiving awards and being recognized for their excellence in academics. These Raiders and Raiderettes are the best in the world. These students don't just "get" good grades-- they earn them!

Cold Days on The Hill

Ice skating, hot cocoa, mittens, hoods, and scarves all mean wintertime here on "The Hill." The Raiders make sure they bundle up so they don't miss any of the winter activities. First, there is the new basketball season that starts in November, and Northeast brings the heat to Southwest and any other school willing to compete. We also look forward to the holidays and gatherings with friends and family. Most importantly, winter signals to the start of a new year and new semester, where we all begin new steps in our lives at Northeast.



Senior Bryant Harris looks ready for the winter while getting his education.



Sophomores Rindy Jackson and Jacquella Studymine strut their stuff in all seasons.



Social Studies Department Chair Ms. Braswell tries to stay warm while preparing for her next class.



Junior Darrien Mason, Freshman Davlin Collins and Sophomore Davene Hill are chilling literally and figuratively.



Senior Cherie Johnson stays cozy in the winter season.



Junior Joshua Moseley doesn't let the cool weather prevent him from working hard.

Life and Fashion Change With the Seasons

No matter what the season is or how much the fashions change in between them, true fashionistas never let their sense of fashion falter, and they never forget fashion rule number two: Always look your best-- even if you have to freeze to look good!

(Below) Freshman James Myers keeps warm in his Avirex jacket.



(Above) Freshman Dontariously Thomas is classy and cozy in his sweater vest.



(Left) Senior Laquita Mack shows her love for Jordans in her Jordan bubble vest and matching shoes.



(Below) Senior Sierra Barnes stays warm in her leopard print scarf.

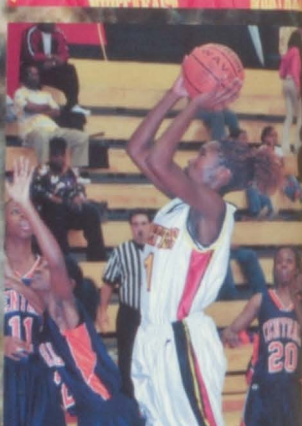
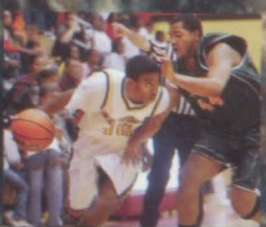


(Above) Senior Victoria Sandifer and Junior Shavisia Parham combine high fashion with low temperatures in their black knee-high boots.

(Right) Senior Adarius Cornelius brings the heat with his plaid jacket and matching shoes and shirt.

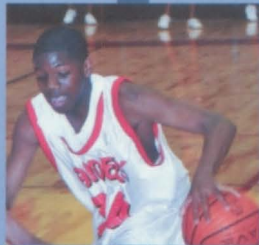


Winter Sports





FRESHMAN BRIAN WILDER
DRIBBLES PAST THE
COMPETITION.

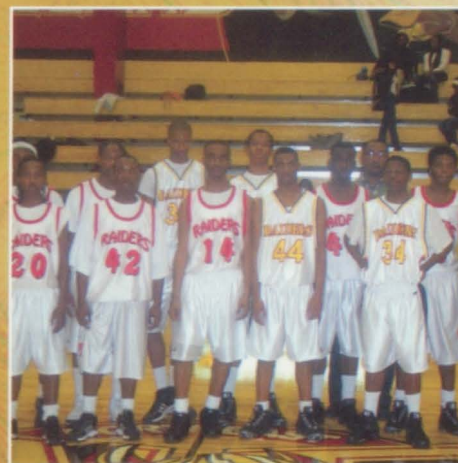


FRESHMAN GABRIEL PALMER
ALWAYS HAS HIS GAME ON
POINT.



SOPHOMORE JOHN ROUSE IS POISED AND
READY TO SHOOT.

JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS' TEAM



First Row: Trevarius Rouse, James
Hurst, Shaquille Sanders, John Rouse,
Gabriel Palmer.
Second Row: Emontae Curtis, Denzel
Council, Dominique Griggs, and
Jadarell Womack.

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS' TEAM



First Row: Asia Dupree, Shadreika Person, Re'nya
Curtis, Courtney Dixon, TaNeisha West
Second Row: Amber Woodford, Troynecia Burden,
Amber Poole, Jasmine Curry, Crystal Hicks.

JV

BASKETBALL



FRESHMAN COURTNEY DIXON
KEEPS HER
EYE ON THE BALL.



FRESHMAN SHADREIKA PERSON
IS UNSTOPPABLE ON THE
BASKETBALL COURT



FRESHMAN TANEISHA WEST
MAKES
HER WAY DOWN THE COURT.

Life on Copeland's Court: Varsity Girls' Basketball



Basketball is a sport that determines an athlete's level of mental strength and stamina. It is very imperative that players know exactly how to play the game. These young ladies have put their heart and soul into every practice and competition that they've had. This dedicated team continue members a long tradition of Raider greatness in athletics.



First row: Assistant Coach Cynthia Booker, Troynecia Burden, Jerryshia Williams, Key'erra Rozier, Maria Bond, Ronecia Curtis, Jasmine Curry, Erica Travet, Coach Alvin J. Copeland
Second row: Cyler Ward, Re'nya Curtis, Shaderika Person, Ta'kia Johnson, Taneshia West, Lakeshia Brown

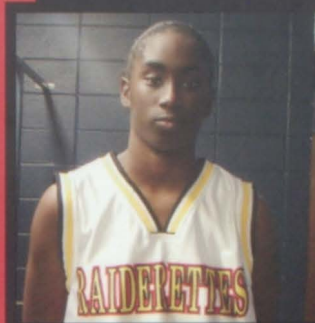
5 Stars



Why are these talented ladies a part of the starting line-up? It's because they perform exceptionally well on the court. Their coaches also know that these ladies can be depended on to pull out a victory when it's "crunch time." For these star players, basketball is more than just a game; it's a way of life!

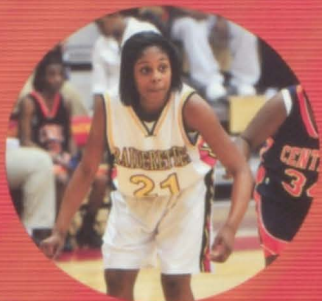


Freshman Taneshia West focuses on her next move.



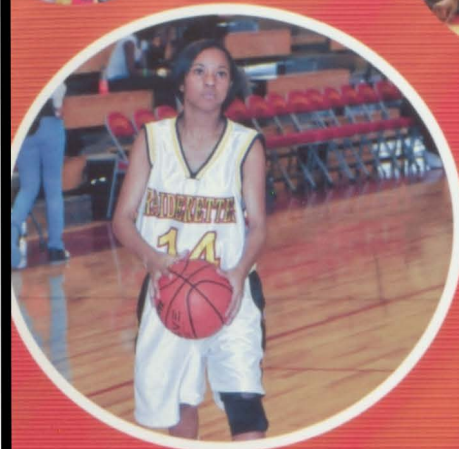
Senior
Erica Travet

"My responsibility is getting all of my players to play for the name on the front of the jersey, not the one on the back!"

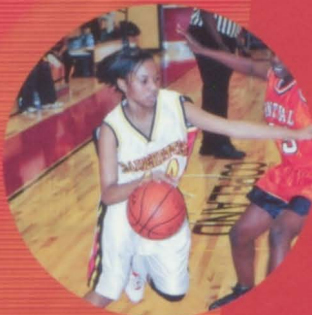


Senior
Key'erra Rozier

"When you've played your best, that's all you can do."



Freshman Re'nya Curtis aims and is ready to make a shot for the team.



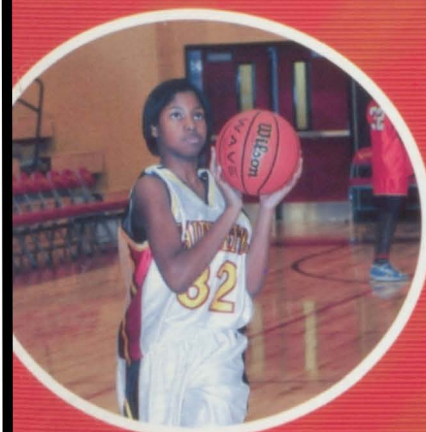
Senior
Takia Johnson

"My offense stays 100%, but my defense is always 1000%."



Sophomore
Maria Bond

"Basketball doesn't build my character-- it reveals it!"



Freshman Jasmine Curry has on her game face and is ready for business.



Freshman
Jerryshia Williams

"Basketball is what makes me who I am."



Hoop on "The Hill": Boys' Varsity Basketball

GO TEAM

GO TEAM



(Left to right) Back row: Coach Dartez Talbot, Dominique Griggs, Marvelle Harris, Denzel Council, Deonte Gainey, and Coach Greg Metts; (Left to right) Middle Row: John Rouse, Diante Williams, Adarius Cornelius, Davine Hill, Micheal Palmer and Coach Millard Vining; (Left to right) Bottom Row: Victor Gray and Gabriel Palmer



Senior Micheal Palmer watches and waits for the next play.



Senior Adarius Cornelius and Junior Marvelle Harris take charge of the court.

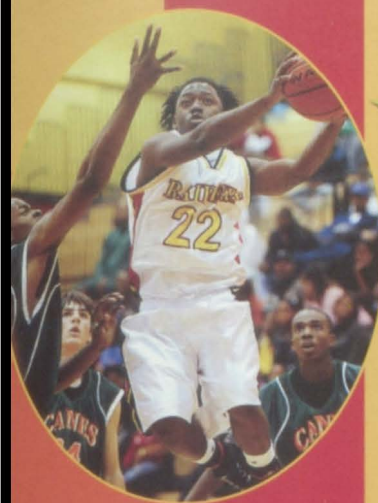
It's time for students to hang up their football uniforms, come off of the field, and warm up on their brand new basketball court. These determined Raiders are more than anxious to start off the new year so they can show everyone why they should take the title this year.



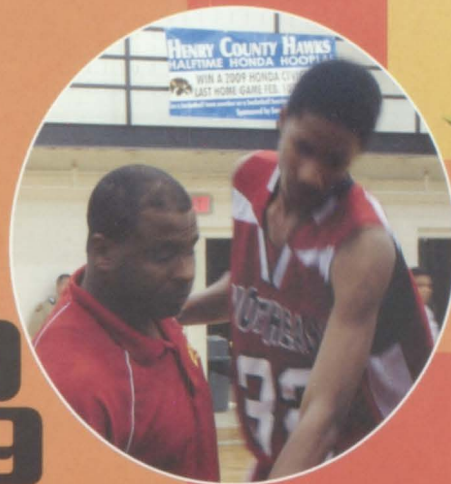
These Mighty Raiders focus and concentrate on getting the job done.



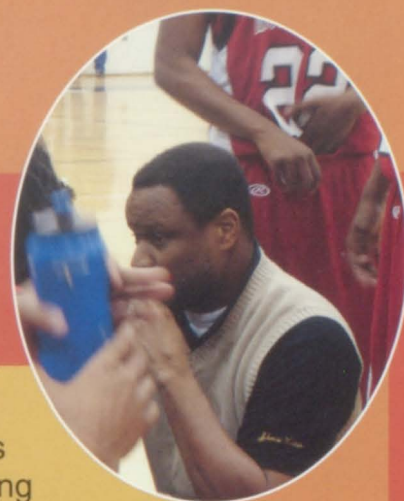
**ADMIT
ONE**



(Above) Junior Micheal Palmer lets everyone know why he is a key player in the game.



(Above) Coach Millard Vining devises strategic plays to keep the Mighty Raiders on top.



(Right) Coach Dartez Talbot's efficient planning ensures another victory.

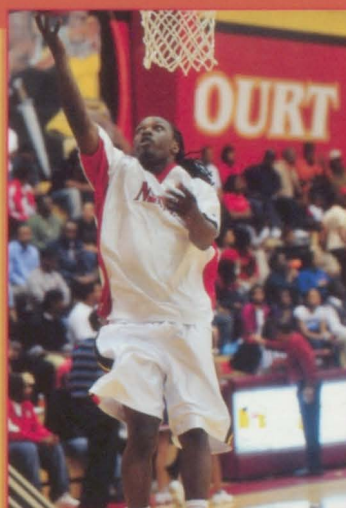
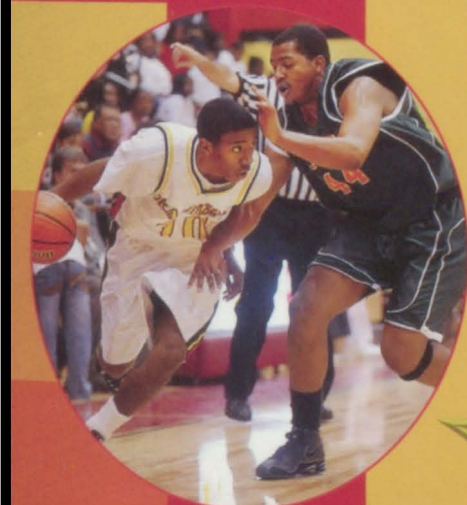
Varsity Basketball

Life is but a TEAM



**ADMIT
ONE**

(Below) Senior Victor Grayer shows true Raider Pride on the court.



(Above) Senior Adarius Cornelius makes an all-star leap toward the basket.



(Left) These Raiders know how to keep their eyes on the prize.

Hillside Varsity Cheerleaders

With a new year, a new team, and a new cheerleading coach, the cheerleading squad has taken on a new look and lease on life. These dedicated Raiderettes practice and cheer their hearts out at every Northeast game through rain or shine. Their smiles and cheers pep the crowd up no matter what the scoreboard reads. Cheerleading is a sport. It's not all about looking pretty. It's about hard work, dedication, teamwork, and team spirit! That's what these cheerleaders are all about on "the Hill."



Senior Kimberly Taylor



Senior
Jessica Jordan



Senior
DeAndria Green, Captain



Senior
Mariah Harris



Senior
Taylor Williams



Junior
Tiara Morgan,
Co-Captain



Junior
Leslie Ann Marshall



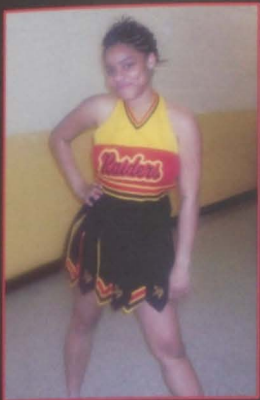
Junior
Brittany Williams



Junior
Kierraka Graves



Sophomore
Ashleigh Robertson



Sophomore
Victoria
Jackson



2008-2009 Junior Varsity Cheerleaders:
Captain Erica Woodford, Allison Ross, Katelyn McCoy
Tyler Smith, Shenequa Smith, Arianna Freeman, Janella
Wiggins, and Shatori Parker



Sophomore
Rindy Jackson

GO TEAM

Sophomore
Jaquella Studymine



2009 Varsity Cheerleaders of Northeast High School

Tiara Morgan, Deandria Green, Rindy Jackson, Jessica Jordan, Leslie Ann Marshall, Keireka Graves, Ashleigh Robertson, Kimberly Taylor, Jaquella Studymine, Brittany Williams, Antionnette Ussery, Shikerra Morgan, and Mariah Harris.



Northeast's Eye Rollers 2008-2009



Northeast High School's bowling team is the top-rated team in Bibb County. No matter who they go up against, they always come out on as the victors. Coached by Mrs. Freeman, these high rollers not only live life in the fast lane, but they bowl in it, too.



Coach Ms. Cetresa Freeman, Shaquille Person, Heaven Whitby, Blake Bivins, Ambres Reese, and Reginald Cater

Northeast's Diplomats

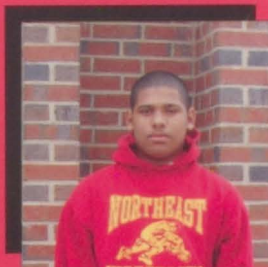


(Right to left) Mrs. Chiquita Dinkins- Advisor, Sharita Watson, Tamia Burke, Key'erra Rozier, Asia Michelle, Tia Collins, Jessie Humphrey, Shavisia Parham, Juantierra Thomas, Tamala Sands, Sheldon Mays, Mariah Harris, Shardae Shinholster, Heaven Whitby, Jarius Bryant, Quintavious Nelson, Phillip Billingslea, Craig Bass, Shantavia Stone, Jamell Harris, Jaliza Lary

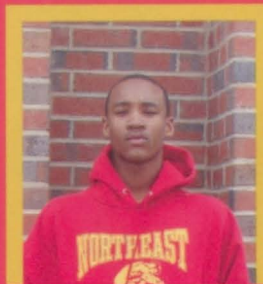
In the Life of a Wrestler



The Raiders' Wrestling Team is one of the most physically challenging sports offered. Head coach Bruce Mullen and his assistant Percy Charlton have directed a stellar team this year. With players like senior Derrick Stanley on the squad, the wrestling team has what it takes to go all the way to the top. Last season, we finished at the state level. This year, these wrestling Raiders strive to finish as Class AA State Champions. Go Raiders!!!



Junior
Reginald Finney



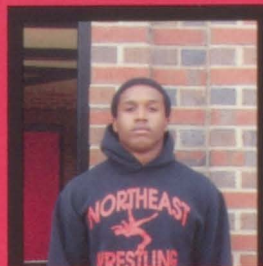
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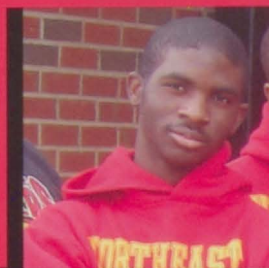
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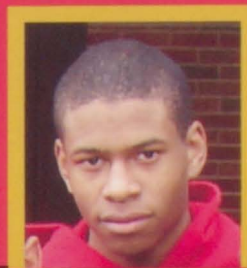
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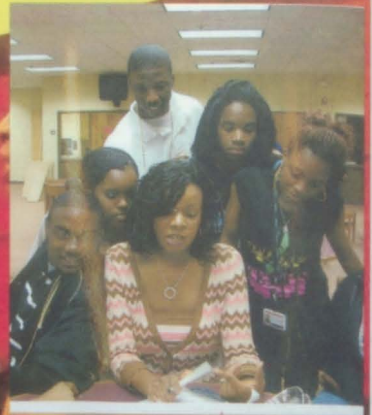
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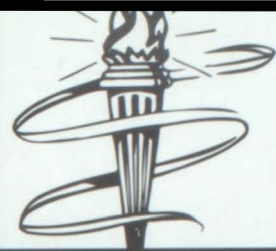
Junior
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Life In The Club

Northeast High School has a wide variety of clubs and organizations. The Northeast band makes sensational music to enhance with our phenomenal football team. JROTC prepares students for college and careers within the Armed Forces. The Culinary Club allows students to engage in hands-on learning about nutrition and different types of foods. The Diplomats represent Northeast and serve as a backbone to the Student Council. Our clubs and organizations insure that Northeast students have a full life.



Northeast's Student Council



Student Council

Northeast's Student Council is made up of a group of elected students, whose creativity and careful planning provides many fun-filled days at Northeast.

(Right to left) Mrs. Chiquita Dinkins- Adviser, Kimberly Taylor, Shantavia Stone, Tamia Burke, Key'erra Rozier, Shavisia Parham, Asia Michell, Tia Collins, Jessie Humphery, Rodrick Finney, Terrance Collier, Maria Bond, Ashley Robinson, Juantierra Thomas, Tamala Sands, Mariah Harris, Heaven Whitby, Kyri Brown, Quintavious Nelson, Jaliza Lary, Jessica Burnett (not pictured).



Northeast's National Honor Society

Only the best and the brightest are invited to join the elite group of students who make up the National Honor Society. Maintaining a 3.2 isn't easy, but these scholars meet and exceed the challenge.

Jalyssa Alexander, Jasmyne Barnes, Markese Bell, Wenifred Bond, Reginald Cater, Erica Cleveland, Tia Collins, Charlisha Cooper, Kayla Cooper, Elyse Crawford, Shakira Curry, Danette Curtis, DaWann Davis, Stevie Davis, Albertina Dean, Ericka DeBerry, Raven Denmark, Sue Feltman-Hayes, Jessica Finney, Brian Ford, Morgan Forsythe, Rachae Freeman, Alycia Gibson, Shanetra Glover, Stephon Gordon, Onzalo Green, Gregory Harris, Jalen Havior, Brandon Hill, Jasmine Hill, Jessie Humphrey, Rachel Hunt, Cherie Johnson, Charmiska Jones, Quentarious Jones, Kandace Jordan, Niki Key, Johnathon Lee, Daikeem Lockett, Willie Manson, Michael Massey, Tasheira Meadows, Asia Mitchell, Shavisia Parham, Shaquille Person, Christian Plummer, Reginald Poole, Keiyanna Reese, Rikki Rhodes, Key'erra Rozier, Victoria Sanifer, Tamala Sands, Shardae Shinholster, Tevin Singleton, Ramone Smith, Sheneque Smith, Quintessa Solomon, Rowdy Solomon, Shantavia Stone, Juantierra Thomas, Mallory Thomas, Brianna Vinson, Joshua Walker, Gary Waters, Lamisha Wells, Octavia White, Taylor Williams, Jalicia Woodford, Valencia Yarbrough



Northeast's 2009 National Honor Society

The Black Choir History



Pianist Edward Cooper, (Sopranos) Shermiska Jones, Jasmine Hill, Talandria Cooper, Jamila Green, Jessica Jordan, Choir Director Christina Sherard, Brandy Leonard, Alexia Arron, Tierra Johnson, Kayla Cooper, Raven Plummer (Tenors) Christopher Alexander, Clyde Lane, Robert Collins, Justin Maxwell, Jordan Gallemore, Quitarius Williams, Tray Lazenbean (Altos) Erica Ford, Ciara Turner, Erica King, S. Nesbitt, Cymphony Dawkins, I'eschia Zellner, Jaliza Larry, Ashlei Cason, Brittanie Evans, Keitha Reese, Nadia Johnson, Christie Clover, Aleshia Baker, Jessica Patterson

Northeast's Marching Red Machine



The Percussion band members listen intently to the football game objectives.



Band director Phillip Reynolds leads during band practice.



The band peps up the school to win with a "jamming" song at a pep rally.



Band class rehearses music for the game.

Senior band members Shaquille Person, Blake Bivins and Victor Crawford warm up for a performance in the bandroom.



Woodwinds

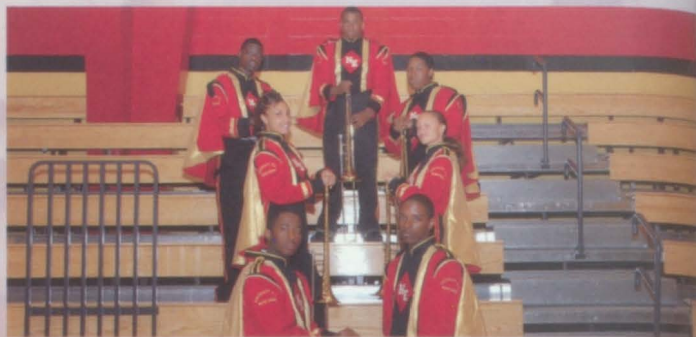


Jalisa Heath, Chernika Worthy, Rasheeda Simmons

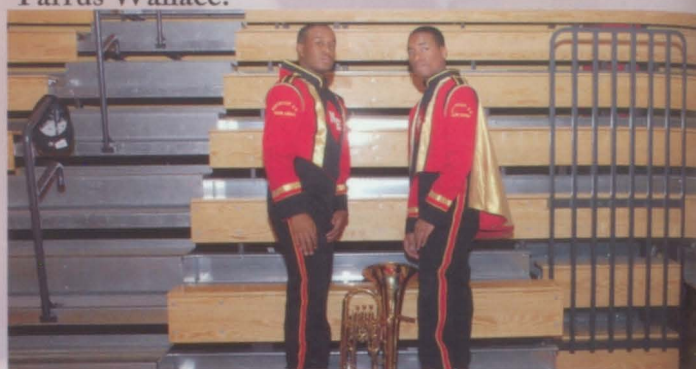


Jaliza Lary and Ebony Denerson

Low Brass



Craig Bass, Carey Mobley, Jason Washington, Roderick Finney, Darrian Moffett, Lakiria Irvin, Tarrus Wallace.



Ke'undre Brown and Iekia Brown

Trumpets



Jaquan Elam, Camron Wilson, Brandon Jutes, Dewuan Couch, Terrence Collier

Tubas



Asia Mitchell, Mark Williams, Reginald Cater, Reginald Dennis, Eric Howard, Shantavia Stone

Percussion

Auxiliary



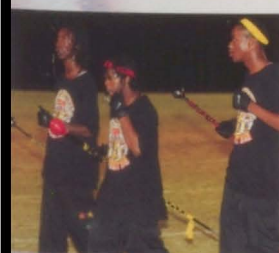
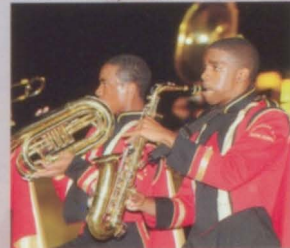
Blake Bivins, Victor Crawford, Shaquille Person, Ambres Reese, Cedric Lane, Tarrence Wallace, Ke'undre Brown, Justin Maxwell, Kenneth Veal, Samuel Shorts, and William Smith



Tamia Burke, Sierra Barnes, Juan'Tierra Thomas, Breonna Andrews, Jamecia Samuel, Shanetra Glover, Lakendria Aaron, Shavisia Parham, Janecia Green, I'keiyaneia Smith, Tia Collins



The Northeast Raider Band



Life, Technically Speaking



Every year, Northeast's technology department places in local, state and national competitions. Led by Mrs. Bowman Northeast technology students exceed all expectations. Lets take a look at Northeast and technology on "The Hill."



(Above) Senior Brandy Smith looks for the answers but does not have much luck.

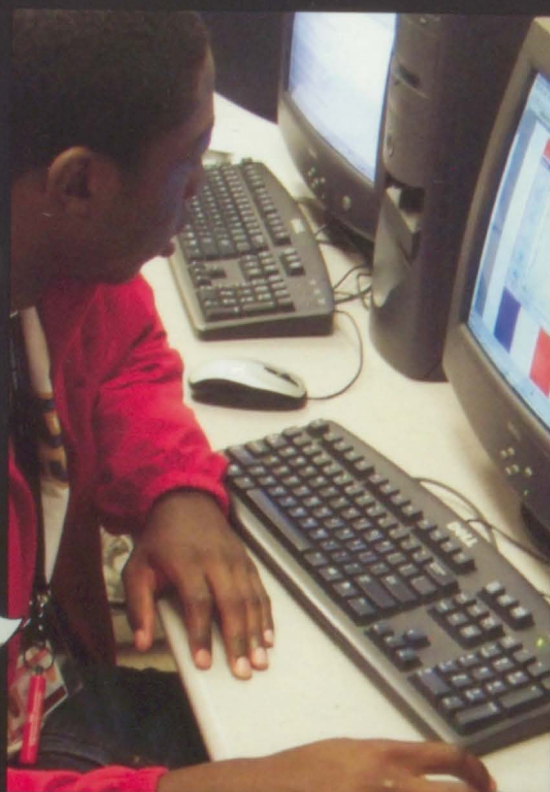


(Above) Senior Tamia Burke focuses hard as she puts the final touches on her project.

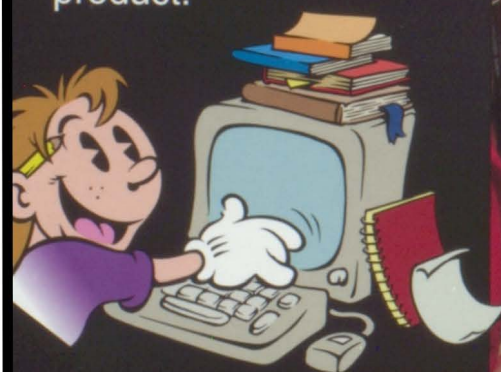


(Above) Mrs. Evans shows her students an easier method to her madness.

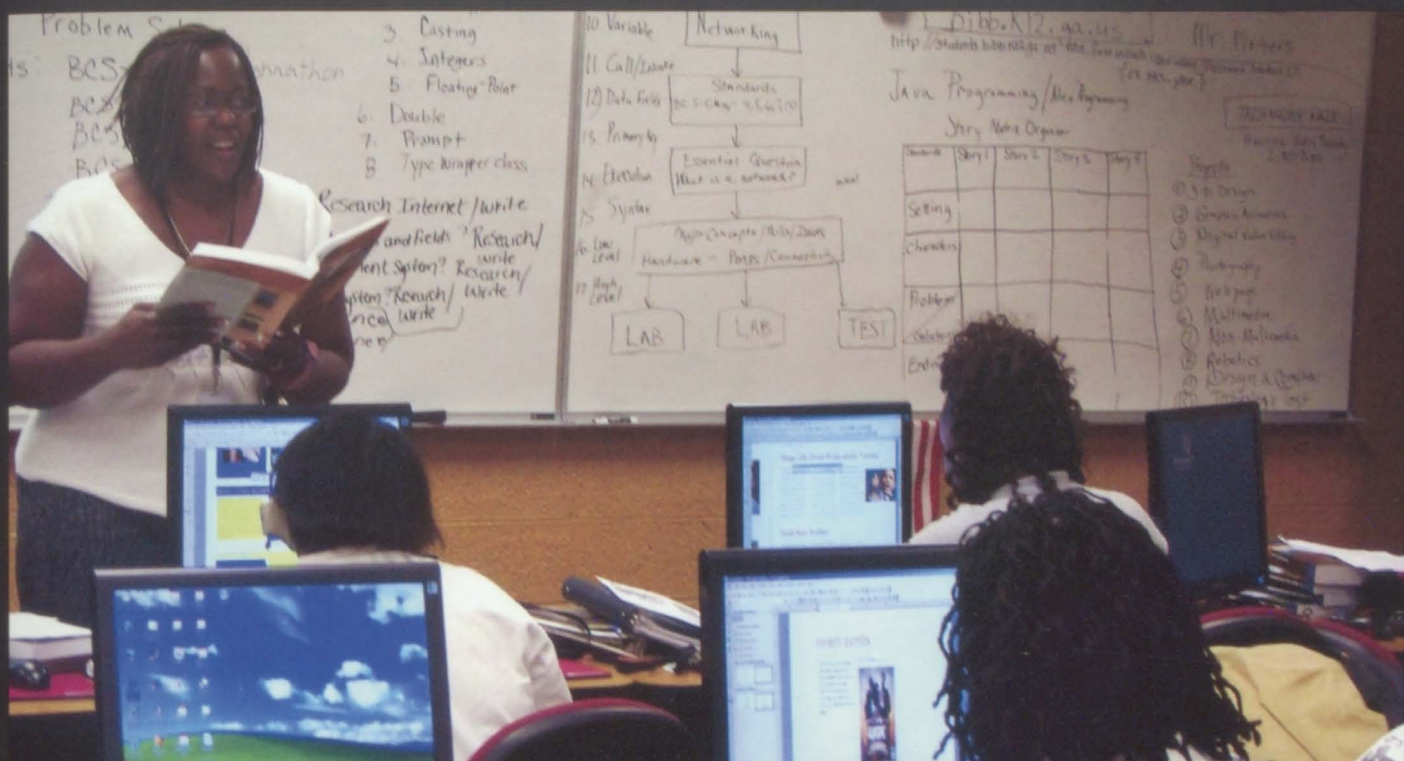
(Right) Senior Jarius Bryant saves and is ready to print his finished product.



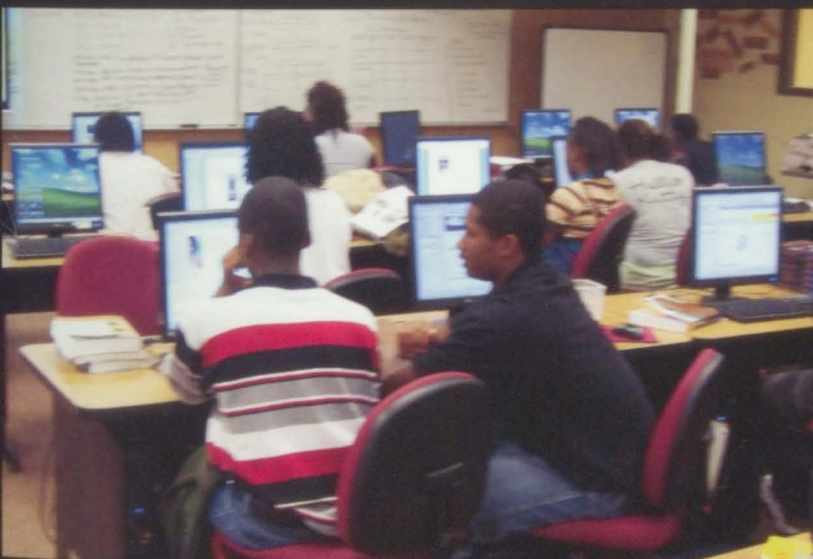
(Above) Senior Kiera Williams gets some understanding on her assignment before she starts.



"Technology is the key to Success"



Mrs. Bowman instructs her class using the Technology Applications book.



True Raiders stick together to help each other get their jobs done.



Senior Adarius Cornelius incorporates technology into his assignment.



Salmagundi

The Salmagundi staff is made up of a group of talented writers whose mission is to encourage creativity among the student body and to provide an outlet to recognize and reward that creativity. The Salmagundi accepts literary submissions and art work from any student enrolled at Northeast High School as well as work submitted on a student's behalf by faculty members. This award-winning literary magazine has garnered numerous accolades for Northeast in the past, and this year's staff promises to do no less.

Culinary Arts Club

(Left to right) Alissa Smith, Breonna Andrews, Denita Willis, and India Richardson serve up good food and friendly smiles.



Senior Antoine Gay takes pride in work.



Seniors Ashlei Cason and Jordan Gallimore share a passion for cooking.



Culinary Arts teacher Chiquisha Tomlin gives food for thought and the belly.

The Northeast Culinary Arts Club is comprised of students with a love of cooking and for preparing food. The culinary arts team caters to Northeast's family and staff during a plethora of events.

Northeast's culinary arts instructor, Miss Tomlin, is devoted to teaching the students about food through fun events held throughout the year at Northeast High School. This organization enhances the talents of its members and gives the students an opportunity to interact with the food service industry.



The Northeast Broadcasting Team: Capturing Life as it Happens

The Northeast Broadcasting Team is responsible for keeping the student body informed during morning and afternoon announcements. These journalists-in-training report on special events, athletics, and happenings around the school. Without this crew, how else would Northeast begin a great Raider Day?



(Bottom row) Robert Collins, Craig Bass, (Top row)
Shavisia Parham, Key'erra Rozier, and Tamala Sands

Oprah's O Ambassadors Club: Promoting Literacy on "The Hill" and Beyond



Mrs. Becky Ehalt,
Broadcasting Advisor



(Back row) Candice Davis, Sharosa Chatman, Tamala Sands,
Sierra Barnes, Raven Plummer, Mrs. Burton-Adviser, Ashlei Cason, Crystal
Daniel, Brittanie Evans, Leslie Marshall, Yerdia Boston, Kimberly Taylor,
(Front row) Albertina Dean, President Cymphony Dawkins, Danette Curtis,
Daryl Denson, Quintavious Nelson, Brandy Whisby

The Northeast High School branch of Oprah's O Ambassadors Club was picked by Oprah Winfrey because of the hard working members' dedication to promoting literacy & global awareness throughout the Bibb County schools.



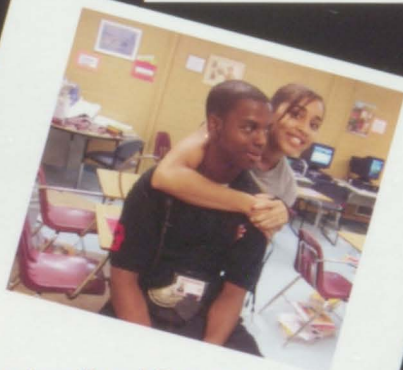
President- Cymphony Dawkins,
Vice President- Albertina Dean,
Secretary- Sakita Cooper

Newspaper

After nearly a ten-year hiatus, Northeast's newspaper hit the presses once again. *The Golden Star*, re-named *The Upper River Review*, is run by the journalism students of Northeast High School. The school newspaper covers local and school news. The "junior journalists" learn about the journalism profession and the "ins and outs" of running a newspaper. Students research and write all articles that appear in the *Upper River Review*, honing their skills and capturing life as it happens.



Senior Brandy Whisby is happy to be apart of the yearbook staff.



Seniors Daryl Denson and Kayla Copper take a moment to be playful.

Yearbook

The Valhalla yearbook staff is comprised of students dedicated to capturing the spirit of Northeast while ensuring that Northeast's yearbook is more exciting and creative than the year before. On the outside, the yearbook staff designs, promotes, and sells the school's yearbook, but what they are actually doing is creating memories that last a lifetime.



The 2008-2009 Valhalla Yearbook Staff



(Above) Senior Ashlei Cason poses in between layouts.



(Above) Senior Cymphony Dawkins promotes the Goddess Pageant



(Right) Junior Ariel Ricks lays out her pages on the computer.



(Left) Senior Indira Richardson is ready to work

DECA

Distributive Education Clubs
of America

The members of DECA today are the marketing majors and leaders of tomorrow. DECA students are given a national stage to showcase their marketing skills. With Mrs. Jeffreys at the helm, these ambitious entrepreneurs have nowhere to go but up.



(Top) Ashley Jones, Andrew Ammons, Albertina Dean, Jasmine Hill, Jalen Havior, Ashley Donaldson, Calvin Brown, Mrs. Angeles Jeffreys- Adviser



(Junior) Jasmine Hill brought home the gold for placing first in the DECA marketing competition.



(Senior) Calvin Brown receives a bronze metal for his work in the DECA competition.



(Left to right) Tymesha Timley, Jamma Forrest, Jarius Bryant, Tamala Sands, Juantierra Thomas, Jeremy Wimes



FBLA

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) provides the business leaders of tomorrow with the necessary skills to successfully compete in the job market, pursue postsecondary education, or manage personal skills.



Jarvis Smith, Tevin Singleton, Victoria Sandifer, Kyri Brown, Shumedria Taylor, Antionette Eason, Talandria Cooper, Mariah Harris, Brandy Whisby, Tamia Burke, (Bottom row) Emanuel Pleasant, Sheldon Mays, Antoine Gay, Decarlos Foster



Drama Life

Drama is the use of imagination and the powers of creative self-expression to tell a story.

The Northeast Drama Club is a unique outlet available to students to explore and express human feelings and to open our understanding of human motivation, behavior, and character through conflict and emotions. It holds up a mirror for us to examine ourselves and others.



The NE Drama Club: Bottom Row- Shikeria Morgan, Rindy Jackson, Mariah Harris, Kayla Cooper, Kimberly Taylor, Edward Cooper
Top Row: Jessica Jordan, Co-Advisor Shana Burton, Quintavious Nelson, Sierra Barnes, Raven Plummer, Cymphony Dawkins, Ashlei Cason, Elyse Crawford, Christopher Alexander, Stephon Gordon, Raven Denmark, Jackson Webster, Co-Advisor Brian Harmon



(Right) Seniors Elyse Crawford and Kayla Cooper exchange harsh words during their dramatization of *Dreamgirls*. (Left) Senior Kimberly Taylor and Sophomore Rindy Jackson bring *A Raisin in the Sun* to life as Lena and Beneatha Younger.



Life Imitating Art

Art is the creation of beautiful or significant things, which includes printmaking, architectural modeling or drawing, building or structuring letters, motion picture, organizational records, painting, personal account, photography, printing, sculpting, and sketch booking.



(Left to right) Stephon Gordon, Ania Thomas, Tania Thomas, Shantae Brown, Mariah Harris, Jalyssa Alexander, and Advisor Mr. Brian Harmon.



Art teacher Mr. Harmon gives Sophomore Michael Massey pointers in art.

Career Student Association



*CSA Advisor,
Ursula Lynch*

Career Student Association, also known as CSA, is an organization that participates in a wide range of activities, such as transporting information from post-secondary institutions to local community centers, peer tutoring, and workforce development. With CSA, these students are making the most out of life.



Top Row: Terilyn Burney, Erica Woodford, Brianna Vinson, Vontasia Williams, Jalecia Woodford, Kenyatta Jackson, Rindy Jackson, Charlisa Cooper, Shambria McKnight, Chareisha Cooper, Nigel Woodford, Reginald Scott, Phillip Buckley, Lawrence Collier, Antonio Stinson.

National FFA Organization

FFA is an environmentally-conscious organization whose primary goal is give back to society and the earth as a whole through cultivating the environment. This club is involved in numerous agricultural and community service activities. FFA knows that society will be better if the environment is better.



*Mrs. Lula Curry-Williams, FFA
Adviser*



Front Row: Robert Collins, Reginald Dennis, Charity Gattis, Larry Curry, Derrick Stanley, Sheldon Mays, and Christain Flagg.
Back Row: Christopher Collins, Jigaro Mosley, Travis Sherman, Cedric Lane, Joycelyn Ross, Ashley Jackson, Raven Plummer, Jasmine Hill, and Quintavious Nelson. Advisor- Mrs. Lula Curry-Williams.



A S.A.D.D Life Can Save a Life

Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD) encourages students to say "no" to drinking and driving and other potentially dangerous decisions. Its positive peer pressure, role modeling and environmental strategies can prevent disasters and set a healthier, safer course for students' lives.

The 2008-09 SADD Members: Chris Alexander, Andrew Ammons, Victoria Brown, April Campbell, Kristen Clover, Lawrence Collier, Teyn Colson, Charlisha Cooper, Kayla Cooper, Roncia Curtis, DaWann Davis, Ericka DeBerry, Takeisha Fuller, Rodreca Gray, Rachae Freeman, Shavonda Henry, Jasmine Hill, Jessie Humphrey, Victoria Jackson, Ashley Jones, Shelby Kennedy, Jeliza Lary, Leslie Marshall, Johnneika McMillian, Devona Merriweather, Tiara Morgan, Shavisia Parham, Jessica Patterson, Devonta Quainter, Keiyana Reese, Courtney Rhymes, Rasheeda Simmons, Brianna Vinson, Jalecia Woodford, Valencia Yarbrough, Adviser Safronia JnBaptiste

In FCCLA, Life is What You BAKE It!

Future Community & Career Leaders of America (FCCLA) promotes personal growth and leadership development through family and consumer sciences education by focusing on the multiple roles of the family as wage earners and community leaders. Members develop skills for life through character development, creative and critical thinking, interpersonal communication, practical knowledge, and career preparation.

Adviser Chiquisha Tomlin, India Richardson, Valencia Yarbrough, Ka'necia Harpe, Ashlei Cason, Sakita Cooper, Sheldon Mays, Jordan Gallemore, Antoine Gay

Life Among Northeast's Magnet Elite



*Mrs. Chiquita Dinkins,
Magnet Coordinator*

At Northeast High School, we have an elite magnet program available to students who live within the Northeast school zone and those who gain entry through applying for a position. With the experiences and education they have received in the magnet program, many of Northeast's graduates have gone on to pursue careers the fields of nursing and health education. Magnet students know that saving a life is just as important as having one.



The 2008-09 Northeast Health-Science Magnet Students

The Life of a Diplomat

The Northeast Diplomats serve as the ambassadors for the school. They welcome visitors and dignitaries to our campus and make sure that they feel at home.

"Being a diplomat is important because we are the leaders who know the history of Northeast, and we spread the knowledge to everyone who enters our doors." says diplomat Jamia Burke.

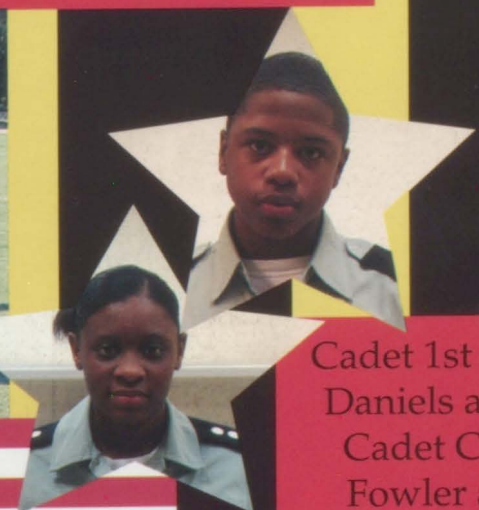


JROTC

**JROTC CREED:
TO MOTIVATE YOUNG
PEOPLE TO BECOME
BETTER CITIZENS**



The members of Bravo Company beam with excitement ...well, most of them at least. The cadets of Bravo Company have some of the most efficient leadership that the battalion has to offer. Along with Bravo, the battalion has many cadets in the battalion dispersed among the Unit to obtain the skills needed to lead the company to its newfound heights



Cadet 1st LT Daniels and Cadet CPL Fowler are just two of the many leaders of our battalion

Leading a Disciplined Life

The classroom setting of the JROTC environment is a setting of high energy, high motivation, and high expectations. In our classes, the characteristics of being a leader are steadily being taught in a manner that is entertaining to the class.

ISG MITCHELL'S CLASSROOM

(Right) 1SG Mitchell teaches with the enthusiasm and zeal essential to motivate today's leaders.



The Raider Battalion Staff

(Right) Cdt 1st Lt Jacquell Hall begins working on the daily computer assignment.

(Below) Cdt SFC James Parks completes work on the automation tasks.

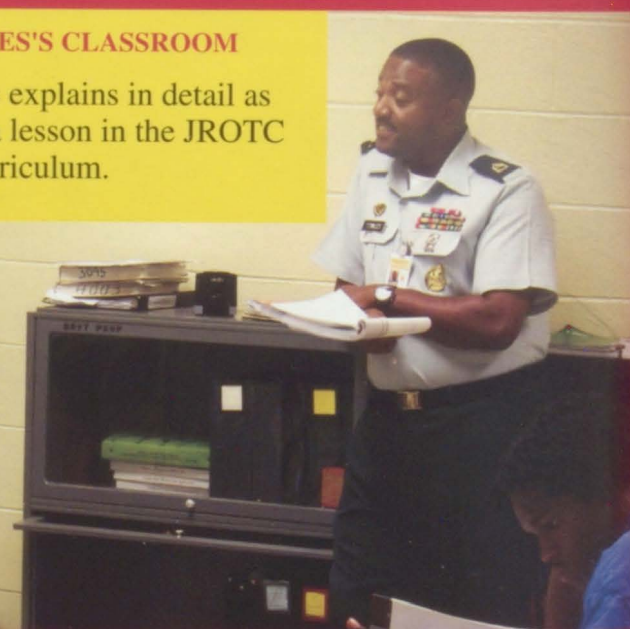


SFC TOWLES'S CLASSROOM

SFC Towles explains in detail as he reviews a lesson in the JROTC teaching curriculum.



LTC Hill is our SAI of the Raider Battalion. His job is to instill higher level leadership qualities. These consist of anger management, conflict resolution, and other skills to become an effective leader. He instructs the high LET level cadets, for they already have the skills taught by the lower LET classes.



Conquering the Uphill Battle

The Raider Drill Team has been diligently working to perfect the art of drill and ceremony. We constantly train and condition to achieve the high standards set forth by our cadre and commanders. We strive for the best, we maintain the best, and we will continue to be the best, as long as our leadership has the willingness to win!



The Ready Box

The cadets of the Northeast High School Unarmed Squad mentally prepare themselves for the upcoming competition in the Area 5 Drill Meet, held in Ft. Benning, GA.

The Best of the Best

After competition, the the Drill Team waits patiently as the Cadre of the Drill Meet tally up the scores to announce the winners of the competition.



Reporting In

The Male Mixed Squad, commanded by Cdt CPT Denson, consist of Cdt MAJ Manuel, Cdt CPT Redding, Cdt LTC Donaldson, Cdt 1st LT Bond, Cdt 1st LT Thornsberry, and Cdt 1st LT Donalson



(Below) The Northeast Drill Team still finds the time to profile after an amazing win.

The Faces of the Battalion



Even through painful waiting and patience, the Raider Drill Team still finds time to show the seriousness of the mighty Raider Battalion. The Drill Team is comprised of the best that our organization has to offer. The team has not only physical requirements, but academics as well.



(Above) SFC Towles and 1st SGT Mitchell look on as the judges deliberate on the winners on the competition.



The Companies of the Raider Battalion



Alpha Company

(Bottom Row: Left to Right) J. Ross, D. Daniels, S. Fowler, (Second Row: Left to Right) M. Johnson, T. Smith, O. Brown, C. Carolle, (Third Row: Left to Right) B. Glover, T. Thomas, A. Glenn, S. Mcknight, C. Dixon



Bravo Company

(Bottom Row: Left to Right) D. Nesitt, L. Curry, S. Simmons, (Second Row: Left to Right): T. Epps, S. Rouse, S. Brown, K. Smith, T. Fuller, (Third Row: Left to Right) D. Foster, A. Thomas, T. Scott, J. Patterson, C. Sledge, A. Davis, B. Willis



Charlie Company

(Bottom Row: Left to Right) E. Deberry, J. Lee, C. Greene, A. Donaldson, R. Solomon, M. Bradley, (Second Row: Left to Right) L. Wells, C. Turner, A. Russell, D. Simmons, S. Williams, A. Glover, (Third Row: Left to Right) J. Webster, I. Brown, T. Thomas, B. Williams, D. Newsome, C. Wilson, F. Williams, E. Travet

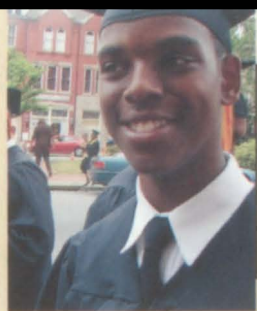


Delta Company

(Bottom Row: Left to Right) I. Smith, P. Preston, S. Solomon, M. Davis, T. Talbot, A. Jackson, C. Major, (Second Row: Left to Right) C. Ward, N. Thornsberry, J. Studimine, C. Wrice, C. Hill-Brown, A. Robertson, M. Brown, T. Johnson, M. Hillman, L. Burnette, (Third Row: Left to Right) D. Mason, R. Nesbitt, J. Ussery, C. Plummer, C. Quinn, L. Williams, A. Steele, K. Reverra, J. Williams, C. Dennard



Senior Tierra Johnson: "My best NE memory is winning Miss Senior 2009."



Senior Daryl Denson: "My best NE memory is participating in the ROTC competition."



Senior Blake Bivins: "My best NE memory is my whole ninth grade year, experiencing being a freshman and going through band camp."

What has been your best NE memory?



Sophomore Brittanie Lowe: "Stay on a good track, don't cut class, and don't let Northeast change you."



Sophomore Rindy Jackson: "My attitude and level of respect for others has changed."

What advice would you give to the upcoming freshmen?



Freshman Janella Wiggins: "Always stay focused and avoid drama."

What Has Life at NE Taught You?

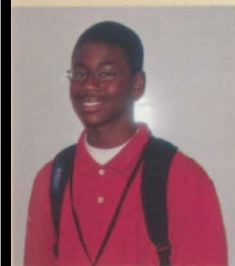
freshmen?

year?

How have you changed since your freshman year?



Sophomore Rodreca Gray: "I'm friendlier, and I have a better attitude... I think!"



Freshman Shannon Hand: "Come up here and do what you're supposed to do. Keep up with your work."



Senior Emanuel Pleasant: "I've matured more because I'm going to college."

What has been your biggest obstacle in high school?



Sophomore Terrence Collier: "Going to class everyday and staying the full 90 minutes."



Senior Akeem Sanders: "Passing the Graduation Test and taking extra classes to have enough credits to graduate."



Senior Robert Collins: "These teachers!"



Sophomore Jaquella Studymine: "My grades are better."

Teaching Life's Lessons

These professionals could have chosen to work at any school in Georgia; however, they chose to come to Northeast. Each day, these teachers come to Northeast High School to make a difference in the lives of each and every student.

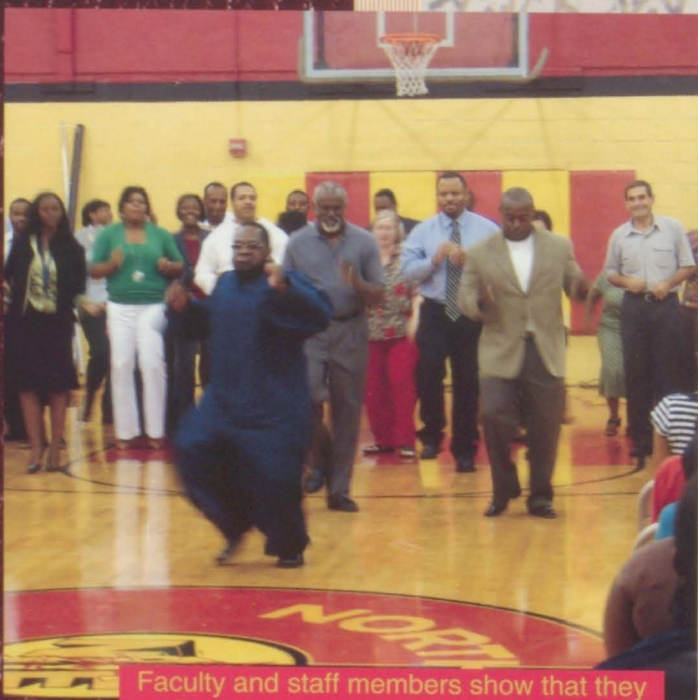


Teacher of the Year

Mrs. Shana Burton and Principal Dr. Samuel Scavella

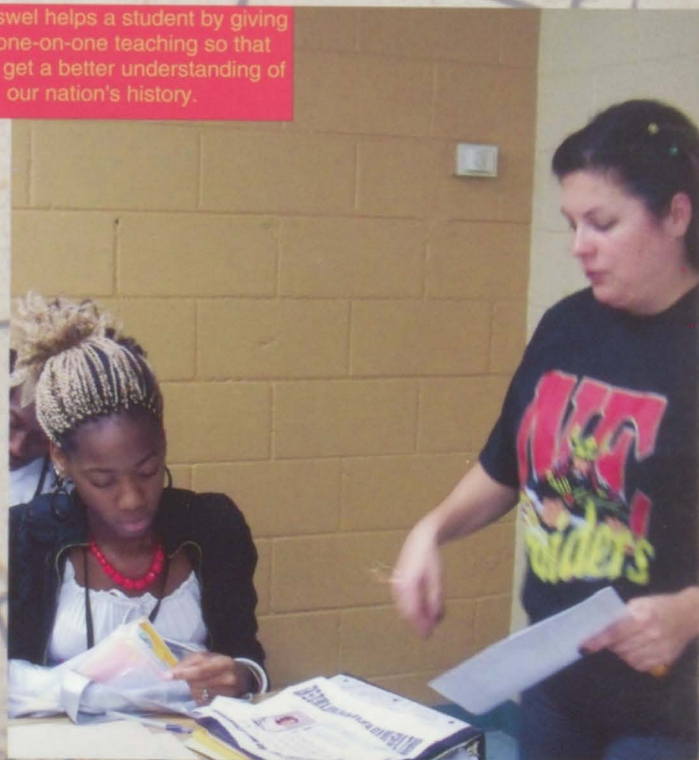


1SGT Mitchell assists students with becoming more knowledgeable of the skills that will help them manage a career in the Armed Forces.



Faculty and staff members show that they enjoy the pep rallies just as much as the students.

Ms. Braswel helps a student by giving some one-on-one teaching so that she can get a better understanding of our nation's history.



Vocational, Physical Education, & J.R.O.T.C



Mrs. Ursula Lynch,
Computer Tech
Department
(CTAE)
Department Chair



Cynthia Booker,
Computer Applications



Jacqueline Bowman,
Computer Science



Lula Curry-Williams,
Horticulture



Tameka Fairfax,
Computer Applications



Angeles Jefferys,
Marketing



Regina Morris-Evans,
CBE I & II, Co-op



Chiquishia Tomlin,
Culinary Arts



Kelvin Oliver,
Physical Education



Bruce Mullen,
Physical Education
Department Chair



Robert Woods,
Physical Education



1 SGT Margaret
Mitchell,
JROTC



SFC Glenn Towles,
JROTC



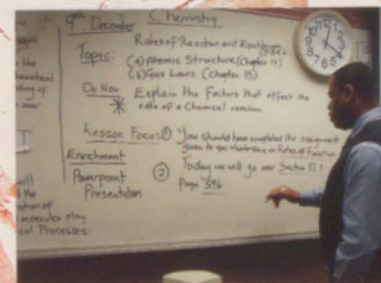
(Above) Coach
Woods, a.k.a DJ
Hollywood, gets the
party started by
mixing all of the hits
during every pep
rally.



LTC Ray Hill,
JROTC
Department Chair



(Above) Mrs. Jefferys helps her students build entrepreneurial
and marketing skills.



Science, Language Arts, and Social Studies



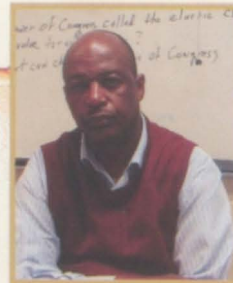
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Social Studies



Larnita Washington,
Social Studies



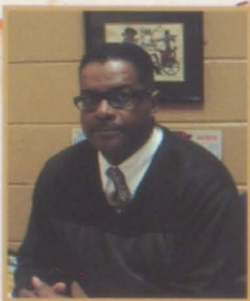
Jermaine Lightfoot,
Social Studies



Lamarr Sarter,
Social Studies



Michelle Braswell,
Social Studies Department
Chair



Alfred Brooks,
Social Studies



Towanna Hamilton,
Language Arts



Jadun McCarthy,
Language Arts/Journalism



Shana Burton,
Language Arts/Journalism



Erma Stevens,
Language Arts Department
Chair



Shameka Hunter-Powers,
Language Arts



Aaliyah James,
Language Arts



Chiquita Dinkins,
Science



Cetresa Freeman,
Science



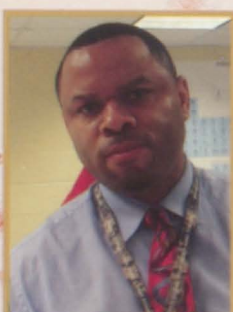
Mrs. Donna Walker-
Thompson,
Science Department Chair



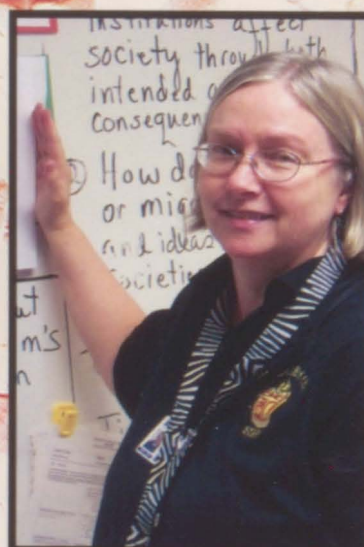
Linda Brooks,
Science



Emilie Reid,
Science



Raymond Carty,
Science



Mrs. McLeod makes sure her
classes meet state standards.

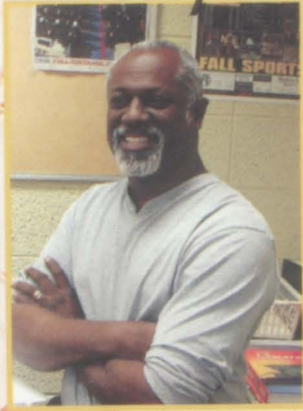


The teachers take time out to enjoy a holiday meal together.

Math, Exceptional Child, and Fine Arts



Arthur Lindsey,
Math Department Co-Chair



Robert Randall,
Math Department Co-Chair



Gloria Brooks,
Math



Trayon Moran,
Math



Tamara Serls,
Math



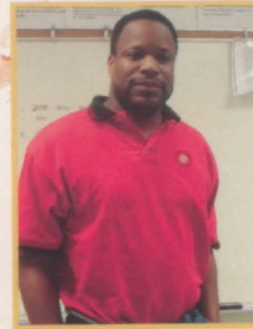
Billy Allen,
Exceptional Child Department
Chair



Ethel Glover,
Exceptional Child
Lead Teacher



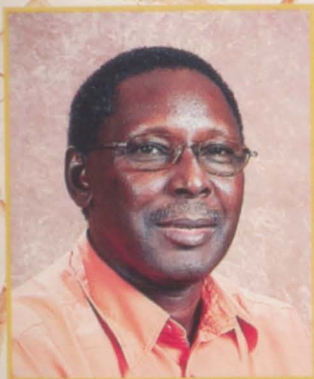
Vernita Glover,
Math



Dartez Talbott,
Exceptional Child



Tony Montgomery,
Exceptional Child



Amadou Kane,
Fine Arts Department Chair



Brian Harmon,
Art



Millard Vining,
Exceptional Child



Janet McGuire,
Exceptional Child



Vadasz Robin,
Exceptional Child



Saforonia Jean Baptiste,
Spanish



Phillip Reynolds,
Band Director



After just two years, Mr. Harmon is already an "old pro" at teaching.



Paraprofessionals, Custodians, & Nutritional Staff

The nutritional staff always make sure that the Raiders have a balanced breakfast and lunch every day.

The Nutritional Staff



(Left to right) Joanna Belle, Thereva Harris, Bernis Grant, Sherry Jackson, Geraldine Rozier, Mary Mathis



This year, Northeast lost a loved member of our Raider family, Mr. Harrison Brown. He will be missed by students, faculty, and staff.

The Paraprofessionals and Aides



Precious Gray



Mathilda
Dennard



Larry Womack



The Custodial Staff



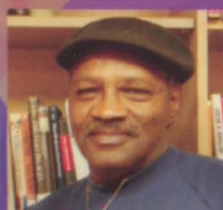
Mary L.
Stephens



Pamela
Nunnally



Mr. Jerome
Friar,
Head
Custodian



Above: Catherine W. Deshazier, Sandra Murphy, Sidney Battle, Libertad Martinez, Tony Major, Michelle Yvette, and Ashtyn Fuller

Northeast's Clerical Staff

The Life of the Office



*Ms. La Condra Robinson,
Registrar*



*Mrs. Donna Kelly,
Administrative
Secretary*



*Mrs. Merritt
Johnson,
Administrative
Clerk*



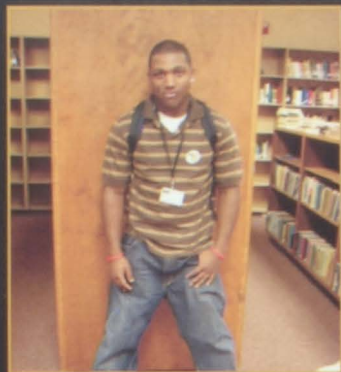
*Mrs. Dannette Waller,
Administrative Assistant*



*Mrs. Kimberly Matbis,
Home-School Facilitator*

*Mrs. Tina Larson,
Bookkeeper*





"Derrick was my best friend; indeed, he was like a brother to me. I will miss my boy."

-Brandon Stanley



"I have known Derrick for a long time. He always kept a smile on my face and was a great friend. He will always be dear to my heart."

-Tymesha Timley



"Derrick was an outspoken person. He was very dear to my heart. He will always be loved."

-Angela Bradley



"Derrick was a true friend and a true solidier. He always kept it real no matter the circumstances. I will always love him."

-Laquita Mack

*In loving memory of Derrick Clock
who began his high school education at
Northeast High School.*



In loving memory of Van Wheeler, a real Raider. He was truly loved, and he will always be remembered as a great person.



"Van was a good friend, and he cared about everyone. He was sweet, and he loved animals. He will truly be missed."

-Octavia White



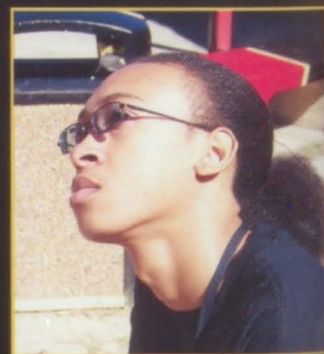
"When I think about my good friend Van, sometimes I get sad. Other times, I feel at peace just to know that he is in a better place. I will always miss and love him."

-Tierra Johnson



"Van will remain a legacy in my heart as well as others."

- Ashlei Cason



"You're truly missed, friend. Save me a place in the sky."

-Jordon Gallemore

The Senior Life of 2008-2009

This is the time to congratulate the graduating senior class of 2009. These seniors spent four years of their lives working hard in high school to graduate. They did their best on the Graduation Tests, End-of-Course-Tests, and final exams. In 2005, the seniors started out as just another freshmen class. Over the last four years, they have had to overcome hard times, such as losing someone they love or struggling through classes, but now everyone can see how far they have come. Congratulations to the Northeast High School graduating class of 2009, as they exit the life of a student and enter life as an adult.



Senior Superlatives, (from left to right) Tamala Sands, Taylor Williams, Chernika Worthy, Sharita Watson, Ke' Yerra Rozier, Reginald Cater, Erica Ford, Kayla Cooper, Jalyssa Alexander, Cherie Johnson, Tevin Singleton, Shardae Shinholster, Gary Waters, Juan Tierra Thomas, Victoria Sandifer, Raven Denmark, Elyse Crawford, Octavia White, and Jasmyne Barnes.

Class of 2009 Senior Superlatives



(Left) **Reginald Cater**

"A failure is a man who has blundered, but is not able to cash in on the experience." - Elbert Hubbard



(Right) **Elyse Crawford**

"Greatness always seems to find me."



(Left) **Kayla Cooper**

"Great works are performed not by strength but by perseverance." - Samuel Johnson



(Right) **Erica Ford**

"Never say more than is necessary"



(Left) **Victoria Sandifer**

"Failure will never overtake me if my determination to succeed is strong enough." - Og Mandino



(Right) **Keyerra Rozier**

"Everyday do something that will inch you closer to a better tomorrow." - Doug Firebaugh



(Left) **Raven Denmark**

"If there is no struggle, there is no progress." - Fredrick Douglass



(Right) **Tevin Singleton**

"In order to succeed, your desire for success should be greater than your fear of failure." - Bill Cosby



(Left) **Juan Tierra Thomas**

"The dictionary is the only place where success comes before work."



(Right) **Cherie Johnson**

"Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goal." - Henry Ford



(Left) **Jalyssa Alexander**

"There is an eloquence in true enthusiasm." - Edgar Allen Poe



(Right)

Shardae Shinholster

"People rarely succeed unless they have fun in what they are doing." - Dale Carnegie



(Left) **Octavia White**

"In order to succeed, you must know the true meaning of failure."



(Right) **Tamala Sands**

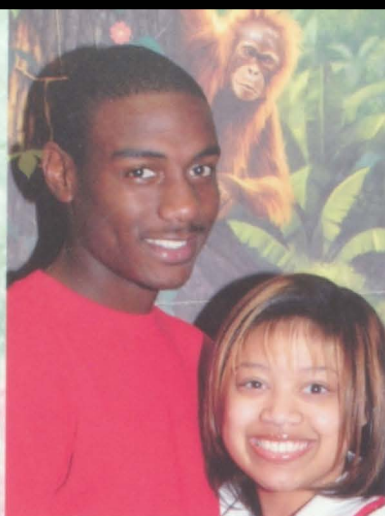
"Too positive to be doubtful, too optimistic to be fearful, and too determined to be defeated."



**Most
Likely to
Succeed**

(Above) Elyse
Crawford &
Reginald Cater

(Right) Kayla
Cooper & Derrick
Stanley



**Prettiest
Smile**

Quintavious
Nelson & Octavia
White

Kimberly
Taylor &
Jamell Harris



**Most Likely To
Be a Millionaire**

**Prettiest
Eyes**

2009 Class

**Best All-
Around**

**Most
Likely
to be a
Video
Model**



**Most
Original**
(Left) Blake
Bivins & Crystall
Brown

**Worst
Driver**



(Above) India
Richardson, Jamel
Hall, & Key'erra
Rozier



(Left) Sierra
Barnes &
Nathaniel Walker



(Left) Kimberly
Taylor & Craig Bass

Best Dressed

Jazzy

Casual

(Left) Sierra
Barnes &
Blake Bivins

(Right)
Latethia Jones,
Adarius
Cornelius, &
LaQuita Mack

Most Likely to be a Preacher

(Right)
Ashlei Cason
& Jordan
Gallemore



Most Flirtatious

(Left)
Sheldon
Mays &
Tamia Burke



Favorites!

Most Attractive



(Left) Cherie
Johnson &
Adarius
Cornelius

Most Likely to Run a Gossip Magazine



(Left) Kyri
Brown &
Shaunatori
Gibson
(Right) Sierra
Barnes &
Brandon
Stanley

Most Athletic



Class Clown



(Above) Takia
Johnson &
Dominique Worthy

Seniors on the Hill



Jalyssa Alexander



Breonna Andrews



Jasmayne Barnes



Sierra Barnes



Craig Bass



Phillip Billingslea



Blake Bivins



Verdrea Boston



Angela Bradley



Calvin Brown



Crystal Brown



Ke'Andre Brown



Sidney Brown



Terance Brown



Jarius Bryant



Marcenia Burke



Jessica Bunnell



Reginald Coker



Shelinda Chalman



Kayla Cooper



Sakila Cooper



Elyse Crawford



Victor Crawford



Crystal Daniel



Danielle Daniels



Shaneka Davis



Raven Denmark



Reginald Dennis



Erica Donaldson



Antoinette Eason

Class of 2009



Brillianne Evans



Erica Ford



Deonte Gainey



Jordan Gallemore



Justin Gardner



Antoine Gay



Ahaia Gibson



Shaunalori Gibson



Derek Glenn



Andre Glover



Victor Graye



De'Andria Green



Jamila Green



Shanlae Green



Kenya Griswold



Jamell Hall



Gregory Harris



Mariah Harris



Eric Hill



Gregory Holston



Naporsha Jackson



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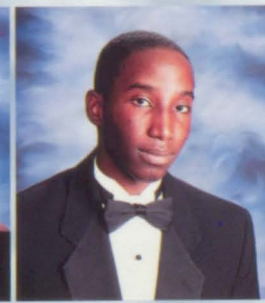
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Jessica Jordan



Erica King



Cedric Lane

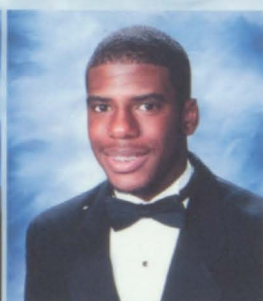
Seniors



LaQuita Mack



Sir Leonard Manuel



Sheldon Mays



Zigaro Mosley



James Parks



Claude Payne



Jordan Payne



Emmanuel Pleasant



Raven Plummer



Reginald Poole



Ambros Reese



Lashunda Reeves



India Richardson



Ke'ya Rozier



Abhain Russell



Brillany Russell



Victoria Sandifer



Tamala Sands



Reginald Scott



Dominique Shahid



Abhain Simmons



Ebony Simon



Cailesha Singleton



Devin Singleton



Alexander Sledge



Jarvis Smith



Denick Stanley



Mondoreo Stanley



Ashley Steele



Perfect Stone

Seniors



Jasmine Taylor



Kelvin Taylor



Kimberly Taylor



Juan Elena Thomas



Alonzo Thompson



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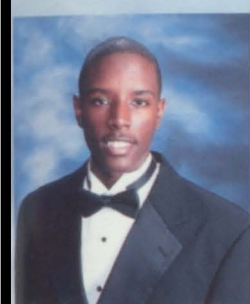
Cyntaya Veal



Eric Vickers



Tarence Wallace



Tarius Wallace



Gary Waters



Sharita Watson



Brandy Whisby



Octavia White



Kindal Williams



Mykia Williams



Taylor Williams



Denita Williams



Jeremy Whimes



Chernika Withy



Northeast High School's Senior
Class Officers:

President: Jeremy Whimes

Vice President: Keyerra Rozier

Secretary: Sakita Cooper

Treasurer: Erica Ford

Representative: Kimberly Taylor

2009 Senior Casuals



Jalyssa Alexander



Breonna Andrews



Jasmyne Barnes



Sierra Barnes



Craig Bass



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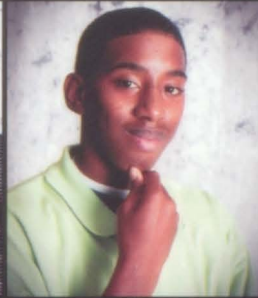
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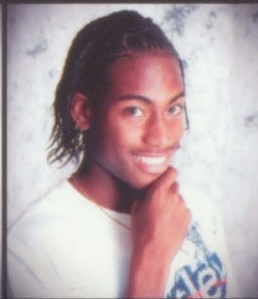
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Kenya Griswold



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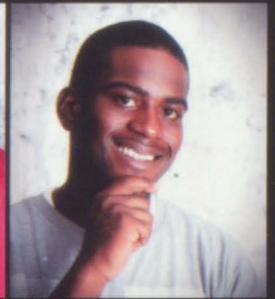
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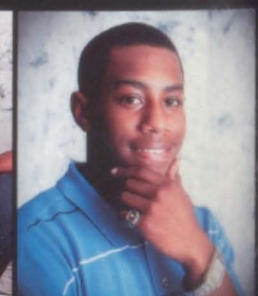
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Perfect Stone



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Ciara Turner



Cyntaya Veal



Eric Vickers



Tarrence Wallace



Tarrus Wallace



Gary Waters



Sharita Watson



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Denita Willis



Jeremy Wimes



Chernika Worthy



Jessica Burnett



class of 2009

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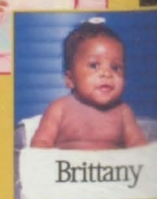
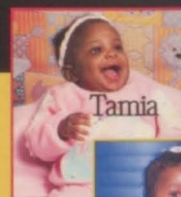


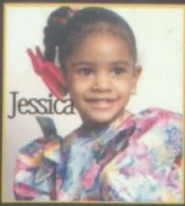
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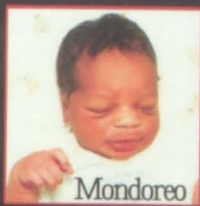
Guess Who?

Check out these young Raiders and Raiderettes.





Jessica



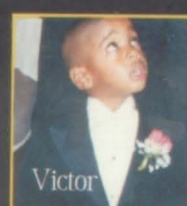
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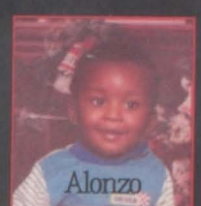
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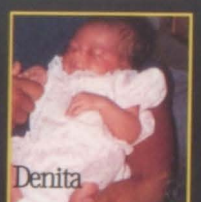


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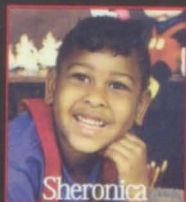
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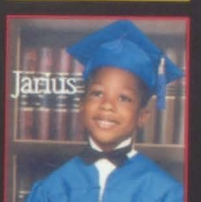
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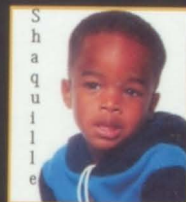
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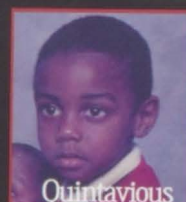
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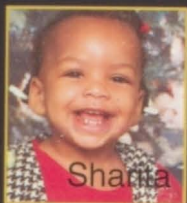
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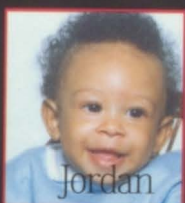
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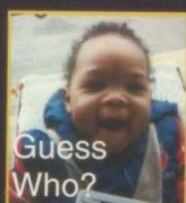
Laquita



Shanta



Jordan



Guess
Who?



Jamila



Sierra



Khaia



Shaunatori



Raven



Class of 2010

THE BEST CLASS IS NEXT IN
LINE... WE MOVED FROM
HILLS TO MOUNTAINS



Jason Washington

6-Word Memoir:

"Gentlemen looking
for success in life."



Shavisia Parham

6-Word Memoir:

"Using beauty and
intelligence to succeed."

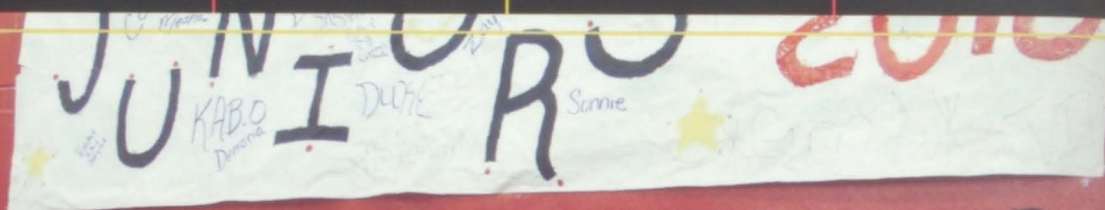


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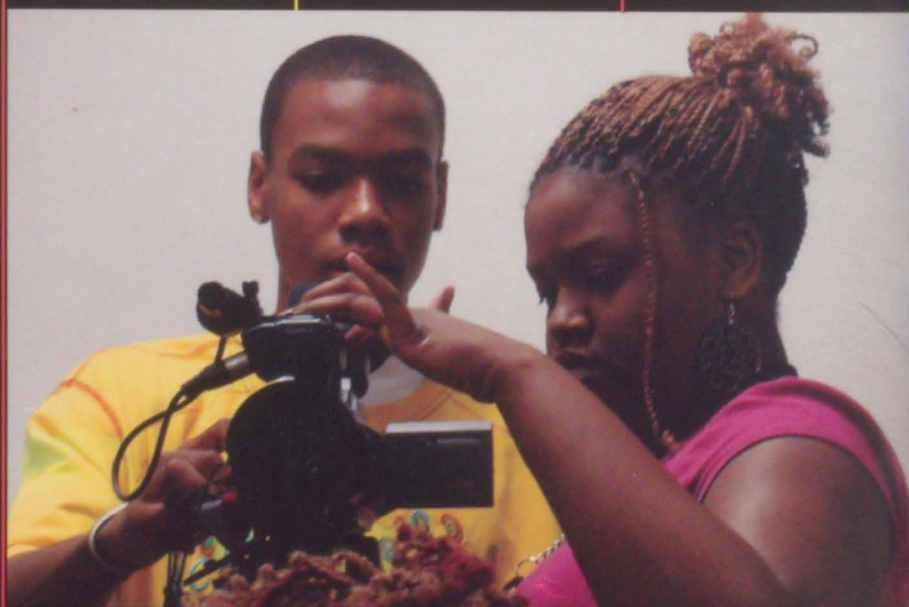
6-Word Memoir:

"Intelligent but
crazy at most
times."

*The Class of 2010
endured years of trials
and tribulations,
consequences and
repercussions, but still we
prevailed.*



*Perseverance
Responsibility
Elevation
Victorious
Achievement
Integrity
Limitless
Excellence
Dedication*



Class of 2010

Juniors' Six Word Memoirs



Alexander, Chris
Ammons, Andrew
Baker, Alisha
Battle, Tavaris
Bell, She'Quan
Bond, Ashley
Brown, Antriss
Brown, Lakeisha

Brown, Orlanda
Brown, Victoria
Brown, Whitley
Bryant, Tashea
Bullard-Glover, Ashley
Burden, Amber
Burke, Otis
Burnette, Sharrad

Chambliss, Erica
Clover, Kristen
Coley, Kierra
Collins, Christopher
Collins, Tia
Colson, Tevin
Cooper, Talandria
Couch, Dewuan

Crawford, Raven
Curry, Larry
Curry, Miranda
Curry, Shakira
Curtis, Dapetta
Curtis, Ronacia
Davis, Candice
Davis, Christopher

Davis, Dawann
Davis, Michael
Davis, Stevie
Dean, Albertina
Deberry, Erica
Dixon, Ariel
Donaldson, Ashley
Freeman, Rachae
Reginal Finney

Fuller, Takiesha
Gallemore, Tamayo
Gatts, Charity
Gibson, Charbria
Gillis, Darrell
Glover, Chella
Glover, Jawara
Gordon, Stephon
Kelvin Wilson

Graves, Kierreka
Gray, T'Keya
Green, Chemika
Hall, Jacquell
Harden, Jamice
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Havior, Jalen
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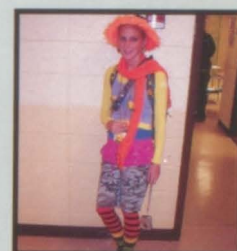
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Henry, Shavonda
Hill, Benjamin
Hill, Darion
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Hill, Santaez
Holston, Sharod

Hodge, Terrell
Hoskins, Antwon
Humphery, Jessie
Hunt, Rachel
James, Ernest
Johnson, Kierra
Jolly, Benjamin
Jones, Ashley



Shantavia Stone

"Living my future, forgetting my past!"



Nicole Sherard

"I like to keep them guessing!"



Cameron Wilson

"Being me is hard but fun."



Sade Winchester

"Be yourself no matter what happens."

6-Word Memoirs



Brian Ford
"I always stay
true to myself."



Jasmine Flowers
"I'm living life
with no regrets."



Shaniece Rouse
"I'm always the
center of
attention."



I'eschia Zellner
"No one can
take my smile."



Laconstance Wilson
"I'm just like you,
only cuter."

Jones, Quentarius
Jordon, Charnequa
Jordon, Kandace
Jordon, Quentarius
Kinder, Shykeitha
King, Ericka
King, J'Lisa
King, Jamarco

Lary, Jeliza
Lee, Jonthan
Lester, Tevin
Lester, Trenice
Major, Corey
Manson, Willie
Marcus, Joshua
Marshall, Kym

Marshall, Leslie
Mason, Darrian
May, Kristian
McMillan, Johnkia
Mitchell, Asia
Montoute, Daniel
Morgan, Tiara
Moss, Tyler

Parham, Shavisia
Parks, Quantez
Patterson, Jessica
Peacock, Nicolas
Person, Antonio
Rhynes, Courtney
Ricks, Ariel
Roberts, Quintara

Robinson, Riketta
Ross, Benjamin
Rouse, Jarvis
Rouse, Shaneice
Sanders, Akeem
Sanford, Alvin
Scott, Christy
Scott, Tony

Sharif, Siddeequah
Sherman, Travis
Simmons, Rasheeda
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Sledge, Carlosia
Smith, Kenyetta
Solomon, Rowdy
Solomon, Jasmine

Strokes, Tangela
Stone, Shantavia
Stubbs, Diamond
Taylor, Shanequalia
Thomas, Ja'Kia
Thompson, Bryan
Thorpe, Alexis
Ussery, Uisheka

Wallace, Tarrence
Washington, Jason
Watson, Derial
Wells, Brianna
Whisby, Janisa
Whitby, Heaven
Whitby, Jasmine
Williams, Brittany

Williams, Eric
Williams, Hasaani
Williams, Karesha
Williams, Marquita
Williams, Sierra
Williams, Vontasia
Willis, Brianna
Willis, Denmarks



Just the Juniors...

Look Who's TALKING

The Life of a Junior in Six Words....



Reginald Finney

"Football is my goal in life."



Dominique Griggs

"Always believe that real recognizes real!"



Valencia Yarbrough

"I'm always inspired by my friends."



Class of 2011

The Sophomore Class is Rising Higher & Higher to the Top of the Hill

Now you know that Northeast wouldn't be anything without the class of 2011 representing. They're trying their best to prove that their class is *THE* best class NE has ever witnessed. We'll just have to wait & see. With only two years left, the Raider Sophomore class is halfway there.

6-Word Memoirs



Brianna Vinson

"I'm too different to be ordinary."



Cortez Wilson

"Very athletic but also very intelligent."



Charmiska Jones

"Love you all, especially my haters!"

Class of 2011's Shikiria Morgan & Rindy Jackson can always be caught striking a pose for any camera.

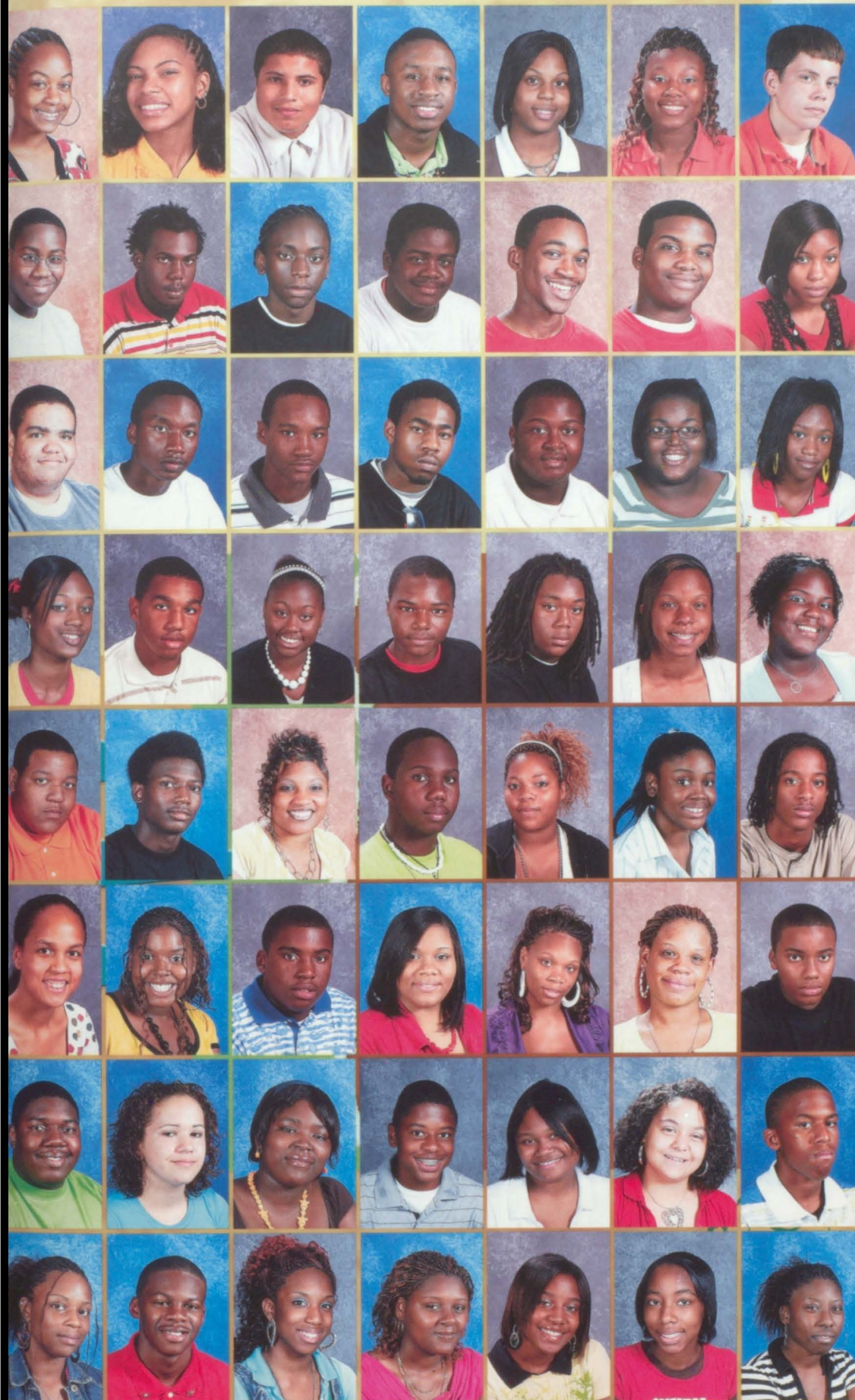


"Knocking Seniors into walls, breaking all the Juniors' jaws. Freshmen know they can't compete because the Class of 2011 runs Northeast!"



At lunch, Sophomores Rindy Jackson, Jaquella Studymine, Shaqala Davis, Markia Washington, and Asia Dupri represent their class by throwing up their graduation year.

Class of 2 0 1 1



Aaron, Lakendria
Alston, Jessica
Anthony, Clark
Bell, Morkese
Bond, Wenifred
Bostick, Shedricka
Bradley, Michael

Brewer, Dexter
Brown, Michael
Brown, Tyrone
Bryant, Michael
Buckley, Phillip
Burnette, Javontez
Chaney, Shironda

Clark, Randy
Clark, Trae
Cleveland, Eric
Clyde, Dashun
Collier, Terrence
Collins, Michelle
Cooper, Chareisha

Cooper, Charlisha
Cooper, Edward
Danielly, Shantrice
Davis, Adarius
Davis, Deion
Davis, Jazmyne
Davis, Shaquala

Densley, Trevor
Dumas, Tommy
Durden, Kacasha
Epps, Tony
Evans, Kwanay
Exum, Wynavia
Faulks, Joshua

Feltman-Haynes, Sue
Finney, Jessica
Finney, Roderick
Finney, Shannon
Finney, Sudena
Flagg, Chani
Flowers, Jashan

Forrest, Jamma
Forsythe, Morgan
Foster, Lakeithia
Fowler, Shavanta
Freeman, Arianna
Ganis, Charity
Gibson, Argentina

Glenn, Antoinette
Glover, Marquis
Glover, Shanetra
Gooden, Brittany
Gray, Rodreca
Gray, DeAmethyst
Grayer, Erica

Class of 2011

Green, Onzalo
Hall, Kiera
Harpe, Ka'necia
Henderson, Marquez
Hicks, Crystal
Hill, Benjamin
Hill, Brandon

Hill, Daivene
Hill-Grose, Shakur
Howard, Joseph
Howkins, Kientazya
Hurt, Jerrelle
Jackson, Kenyatta
Jackson, Rindy

Jackson, Victoria
James, Ikeem
James, Jasmine
Jarrod, Johnicans
Jenkins, Kelvin
Johnson, Amanda
Jones, Richard

Jordan, Joshua
Kendrick, Desmond
Key, Niki
Kinder, Darrayas
King, Jerrod
Kitchen, Jonathan
Lawson, Troy

Lockett, Daikeen
Lockwood, Phillip
Lowe, Brittanie
Mahone, Jeremiah
Major, Ashley
Martin, Alexander
Mason, Dionta

Massey, Michael
Maxwell, Brionna
Maxwell, Justin
McIntosh, Keara
McMillan, Javonte
McNair, Erin
McRae, Ladashia

Meadows, TaSheira
Miley, Quanisha
Miller, Juanita
Mitcham, Brandon
Morant, Ashli
Morgan, Shikeria
Nash, Juanae

Neely, Ja'leila
Nesbitt, Desmond
Norris, Antonio
Ottman, Xavier
Parham, Shatavia
Parker, Shatori
Pendergrass, Skyla





Pettigrew, Kwame
Plummer, Christian
Poole, Amber
Powell, Christopher
Preston, Katherine
Quainter, Devonta
Quinn, Chelsea

Reese, Keiyana
Reviere, Kevin
Rhodes, Rikki
Rivers, Dantrez
Roberts, Lakeshia
Robertson, Ashleigh
Ross, Joycelyn

Rouse, John
Simmons, Nikea
Singleton, Shanice
Smith, Alissa
Smith, Catrina
Smith, Marlon
Smith, Ramone

Smith, Shenequa
Smith, Tyler
Solomon, Demond
Solomon, Quintessa
Spence, Robert
Stanley, Skylarr
Studymine, Jaquella

Taylor, Christopher
Thomas, Mallory
Thomas, Nekia
Thomas, Raquez
Thomas, Tavoris
Ussery, Antoinnette
Vinson, Brianna

Walker, Joshua
Walker, Patrick
Ward, Cyler
Washington, Markia
Waters, Keith
Webster, Jackson
Wells, Lamisha

Williams, Juantreze
Williams, Lanesha
Williams, Quintarius
Wilson, Deneisha
Wilson, Felicia
Wilson, Miranda
Wimberly, Kendall

Windham, Alexander
Woodford, Jalecia
Woodford, Nigel

(Left) Sophomores Ramon Smith and Cortez Wilson enjoy their sophomore status.
(Right) Sophomore Charmiska Jones is camera ready.



CLASS of 2012

We have not yet reached the top of "The Hill," but our time is yet to come!!!

The Freshmen tell their life stories in six words.....

Jaquan Elam



"My life too real for haters"

Brittany Sinclair



"I'm made to love, not hate!"

Carrie Mobley



"Inspired by haters for a lifetime"

Fresh up on the hill, sits the class who is willing to go through anything it takes to graduate three years from now.



This spirited class is the....
Class Of 2012





Adkins, Aysha
Anderson, Whitney
Battle, Amberial
Battle, Antonio
Beasley, Tony
Berrian, Cora
Blash, Tanzinia
Bond, Teontae
Booker, Victoria
Booze, Keith

Brantley, Gerrod
Bright, Shayla
Brinson, Jhanisa
Brown, Ashley
Brown, David
Brown, Dimesha
Brown, Beta
Brown, Japcari
Brown, Johnkeycia
Brown, Shantae

Brown, Tasheira
Buenrostro, Jorge
Burney, Terilyn
Burnett, Lamitchell
Burnett-Hannah, Destini
Burnette, Kendal
Card, Jamir
Carr, Devonte
Carroll, Colby
Carr, Preston

Chappell, Kristy
Clark, Raymond
Clements, Morris
Clover, Damien
Collier, Lawrence
Collins, Dalvin
Cone, Kendarrious
Cornelius, Jade
Council, Denzel
Coxton, Jimorion

Curry, Jasmine
Curry, Michael
Curry, Monterro
Curtis, Emonte
Curtis, Renya
Davis, Kadijah
Davis, Malcolm
Davis, Tyler
Denerson, Ebone
Denson, Terrance

Diop, Tacko
Dixon, Courtney
Dixon, Wynecia
Driskell, Jerrard
Duncan, Issac
Eato, Marleen
Elam, Jaquan
Elms, Constance
Farley, Octavius
Fitzpatrick, Shernethia

Flagg, Shantinique
Foster, Haleigh
Frazier, Umeko
Freeman, Asia
George, Jennifer
Glover, Brittany
Glover, Dominique
Glover, Natalie
Gray, Justin
Green, John

Green, Simmon
Greene, Darrion
Griggs, Benjamin
Guiley, D'Ante
Hamilton, Angelo
Hamlin, Wyterry
Hammond, Romayvion
Hand, Shannon
Harrell, Contrarios

Harris, Tevin
Hart, Shantess
Haywood, De'Vontae
Heath, Jalisa
Hicks, Jalen
Hopkins, Keyauna
Howard, Eric
Howard, Quentez
Howard, Sanford
Hudson, Taquela



Hurst, James
Irvin, Lakiria
Jackson, Antonio
Jackson, Derrick
Jackson, Fynneesha
James, Shuntavia
Johnson, Jaquize
Johnson, Naudia



Jones, Jeremy
Jordan, Royel
Julkes, Brandon
Kinder, Shonterrio
King, Jaridice
King, Shanterrica
Lamar, Christopher
LeFranc, Zosier
Lester, Jerod



Lewis, Ramon
Lowery, Dorian
Mack, Rashad
Manning, Taylor
Marcus, Adrian
Mathis, Shayneecia
McCoy, Katelyn
McKnight, Shambria
McNair, Amahni



Miley, Kiamasha
Miller, Ariana
Mintz, Andrew
Lester, Paris
Mitchell, Clarence
Mobley, Carrie
Moffett, Darrien
Monteiro, Terrence
Moore, Martavious



Morgan, Andriell
Morgan, Lacasta
Moss, Maria
Mullen, Brandon
Myers, James
Nelson, Fredrick
Nesbitt, Richard
Nesbitt, Shantiquette
Nesbitt, Tyrus



Okeke, Emmanuel
Ottman, Allissa
Palmer, Gabriel
Parks, Kendrea
Paul, Jazmine
Person, Alan
Person, Alex
Person, Shadreika
Phillips, Shanea
Pitts, Michael



Porter, Raven
Quick, Eric
Reese, Keith
Richards, Larcemi
Richards, Larcenia
Moore, Rishonda
Ricks, Fanetta
Ridgeway, Britne
Riggins, Chanita
Risby, Johnathan



Robertson, Tamara
Rogers, Bryson
Ross, Allison
Ross, Dontreviun
Rouse, Shakellia
Rouse, Tia
Samuel, Janycia
Sanders, Shaquille
Scott, Joshua
Searcy, Brent



Sherman, Rodreka
Shortz, Samuel
Sinclair, Brittany
Smith, Alicia
Smith, De'Angelo
Smith, Jacobi
Smith, Jalen
Smith, Jaquay
Smith, Jasmine
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Smith, Teranisha
Smith, Tyekey
Smith, William
Solomon, Joseph
Strafford, Miles
Stallworth, Sierra
Stewart, Tia
Stinson, Anterio
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Stubbs, Swundra

Sullivan, Ramil
Tharpe, Esteja Franceso
Thomas, Ania
Thomas, Briana
Thomas, Donna
Thomas, Dontarius
Thomas, Tania
Thorpe, Ashley
Tinsley, Tabias
Tolbert, Marvin

Toomer, Levi
Towles, Dionte
Turner, Dretesha
Turner, Janna
Ussery, Khadijah
Veal, Royvis
Vickers, Sabrina
Walker, Katrina
Waller, Tamiko
Washington, Desmond

Washington, Jamonte
Watkins, Brencka
Wells, Raymond
West, Adraius
West, Taneshia
Whisby, Ashanti
Whisby, Curtis
Wiggins, Janelle
Wilder, Brian
Williams, Tiffany

Wilder, Khayri
Williams, Mark
Williams, Deontae
Williams, Devan
Williams, Ervin
Williams, Jerryshia
Williams, Justin
Williams, Linda
Williams, Terrell

Williams, Tyshell
Wilson, Cortez
Wilson, Kiara
Wilson, Whitney
Woodford, Amber
Woodford, Erica
Woods, Justin
Wornum, Marion
Worthy, Robert

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LIFE ON THE FIELD: Field Day 2009



Juniors Jessica Alston and Phillip Buckley indulge in lunch and laughs.

Northeast has the distinction of being the only high school in the county to be given a field day this year. In an effort to acknowledge the students' hard work and good behavior, Dr. Scavella gave the Raiders one last time to relax before bracing for final exams. Fun in the sun was had by all!



Freshman India Sanders, and Sophomores Chareisha Cooper, and Krystal Hicks know how to beat the heat and dodge water balloons during field day.



Coach Woods keeps the party going as field day's official deejay.



Sophomore DeAmethyst Gray knows that nothing is better than spending the day with her friend.



Coach Vining keeps the hot dogs coming.



Sophomore Skylarr Stanley enjoys the sunshine.



Mrs. Ehalt and Mrs. Glover take advantage of a rare breeze.



Freshman Taquela Hudson and her friend decide to watch the fun from the sidelines.



Senior Jordan Payne laughs as students get doused with water.



Dr. Scavella prepares to meet his fate inside the dunking booth.

Tracking Across The Hilltop!!!

(Left) Coach Lucas and Coach Montgomery ensure that the team works as hard as they can during their meet against Mary Persons.



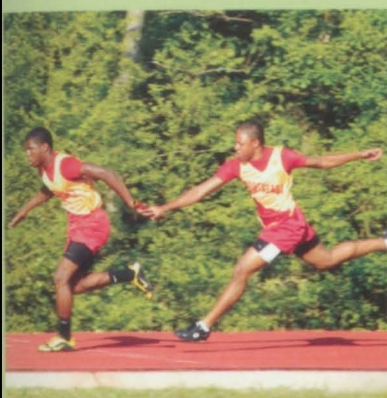
(Right) The Coach Daniely prepares senior Emanuel Pleasant and the Raiderettes for the start of the season.



(Above) Sophomore Cyler Ward leaves the competition behind while she maintains her perfect form.



(Above) Junior Ronecia Curtis uses her arm and leg strength as she propels faster and faster to get to the finish line.



(Above) Sheldon Mays explodes out of his position after he receives the baton during the 4 x 100 meter relay.

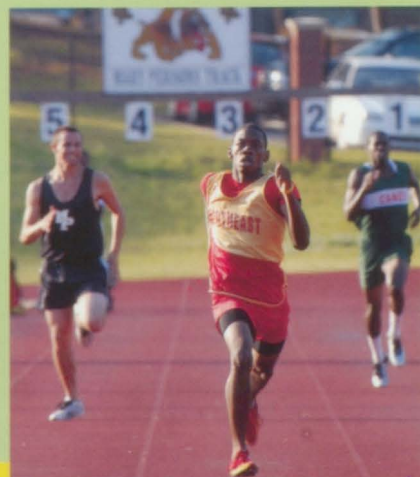


The 2009 Girls' Track Team

(Bottom Row/ Left to right) Manager Rodreca Grey, Asia , Leslie Marshall, Juantierra Thomas, Ashleigh Robertson, Renya Curtis, Taneshia West, Cherie Johnson, Talandria Cooper. (Middle) Allison Ross, Shontae Brown, Ronecia Curtis, Tyler Smith, Marcenia Burke, Albertina Dean, Cyler Ward, Naudia Johnson, & Coach Tasha Stephens. (Top) Coach Alvin Copeland, Arianna Freeman, Johnkecia Brown, Ericka Travet, Fanetta Ricks, Jasmina Curry, Catherine Preston, Charnequa Jordan, and Coach Tony Montgomery



(Above) Seniors Cherie Johnson and Juanterria Thomas warm up on the hurdles at a track meet.



(Above) Calvin Brown strides as he sprints down the last 100 meters to the 400 meter run.



The 2009 Boys' Track Team

Bottom Row left to right- Shannon Hand, Demarkis Willis, Quantavious Nelson, Sheldon Mays, Derrick Stanley, Emmanuel Pleasant, Evarius Pleasant & Bryson Rodgers. Middle Row- Davon Hill, Stevie Davis, Jarius Bryant, Jamel Harris, Jerrod King, Victor Greyor, Calvin Brown, Tabius Tinsley, & Coach Walter Daniely. Top Row- Coach Kelvin Oliver, Benjamin Ross, Jigaro Mosley, & Coach Leonard Lucas.



(Above) Junior Demarkis Willis gives it all he has when he sprints in the final yards to his race.



(Above) Senior Ericka Travet puts on her game face for the competition.



Spring Sports



Knocking It Out of the Park and Over the Hill



(Left to right) Coach Woods, Terrance Brown, Martrez Williams, Nathaniel Walker, Joshua Jordan, Craig Bass, Reginald Cater, Willie Manson, Reginald Dennis, Coach Stewart, Kenneth Veal, Kerwin Williams, Antonio Mitchell, Dionte Towles, Tevin Harris, Reginald Scott, Kym Marshall, Derrick Stanley, Bryant Harris, Gary Waters



Coach Robert Woods
&
Coach Stanley Stewart



(Left to Right) Coach Woods, Craig Bass, Reginald Cater, Nathaniel Walker, Terrance Brown, Coach Stewart, Reginald Scott, Derrick Stanley, Bryant Harris, Gary Waters



Senior Reginald Dennis swings to make a whole in one.



Sophomore Jashaun Flowers perfects his swing.

Life as a "Hole"



(Left to right) Troynecia Burden, Keyshia Brown, Ka'necia Harpe, Coach Crawford



(Left to right) Antwan Hoskins, Tevin Singleton, Trevor Densley, Reginald Dennis, Coach Crawford, Jashaun Flowers, Christopher Powell, Robert Collins

Celebrating Life, Culture, & History

Black History Month is the time that should always be celebrated as well as remembered. Poet Maya Angelou once said, "in order to know your future, you must understand your past." Knowing the hardships and tribulations of our fellow brothers and sisters and what they had to go through just to get us to where we are now is imperative. The Northeast Black History Program is an event that captures our history from slavery to the Civil Rights Movement to the present. This year, we moved beyond rhetoric about Black Pride to changing a mindset, culture, and our generation.



(Above) Director Christina Sherard says, "The students worked very hard to make this event a collaboration of the past, present and future."



(Above) Mr. McCarthy welcomes everyone to the 2009 Black History Program.



(Above) Principal Dr. Scavella elaborates on the importance of the occasion while dressed in traditional African attire.



(Left) Mrs. Burton shares a laugh with speaker Roger Jackson.



(Left) Junior Heaven Whitby mesmerizes the audience with a dramatic monologue.



(Above) Seniors Ashlei Cason and Antoine Gay "swing" into the past.



(Above) Sophomore Terrence Collier lends his musical talents to the program.



(Above) The Nu-Vision Liturgical dancers bless the audience with a praise dance.

(Right) Senior Tamia Burke, Junior Christopher Alexander, and Sophomore I'keaneceia Smith "ease on down the road" during their rendition of *The Wiz*.

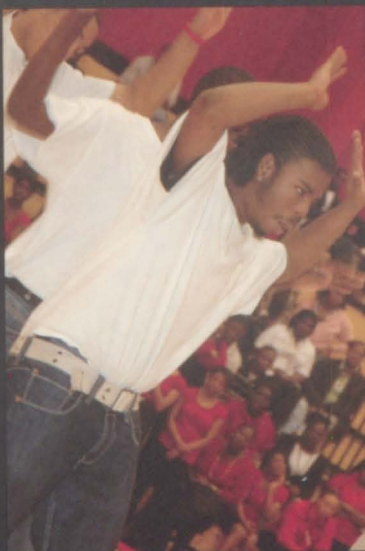


(Above) Senior Robert Collins introduces guest speaker Roger Jackson.



(Above) Guest speaker Roger Jackson delivers an inspiring speech to the student body.

(Below) The boys' step team participate in the time-honored tradition of stepping.



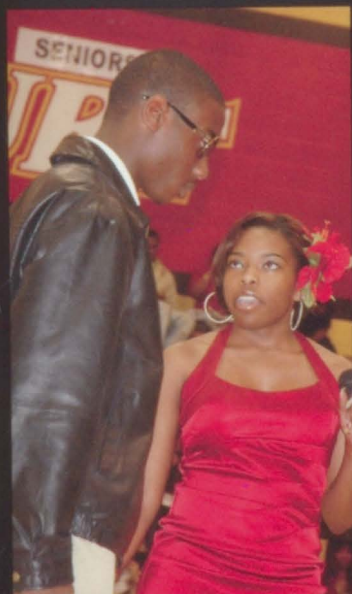
(Above) Miller Middle School's African Tribal Dancer pay tribute to their African heritage through dance.



(Above) The girls' step team challenges the boys to a step-off.



(Above) The Black History Choir inspires the audience with the Negro National Anthem "Lift Ev'ry Voice and Sing" under the direction of Christina Sherard and Allen Banks.



(Above) Senior Sierra Barnes channels Carmen Jones and charms her way out of going to jail during the skit.



(Above) Seniors Elyse Crawford, Kayla Cooper, Tiera Johnson, Jessica Jordan, and Antoine Gay put a Raider spin on the Broadway play *Dreamgirls*.



(Above) The Northeast Drill Team demonstrates discipline and skill during its performance.

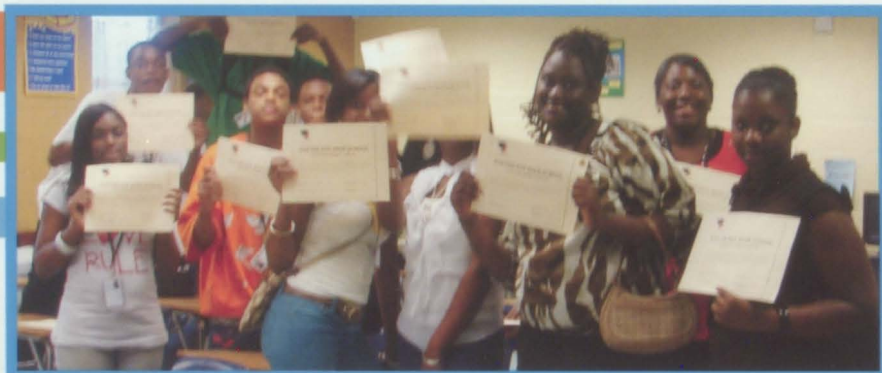
Underclassmen Day Awards

Hard work pays off, and no event proves that more than Awards Day. Every spring, the Raiders in grades 9-11 are recognized and honored for their academic achievement. This special ceremony presents an opportunity for students and parents to reflect on the progress made during the school year and to give those who don't receive awards something to aspire to next year. These Raiders know that being the "life of the classroom" is far more important than being the "life of the party."

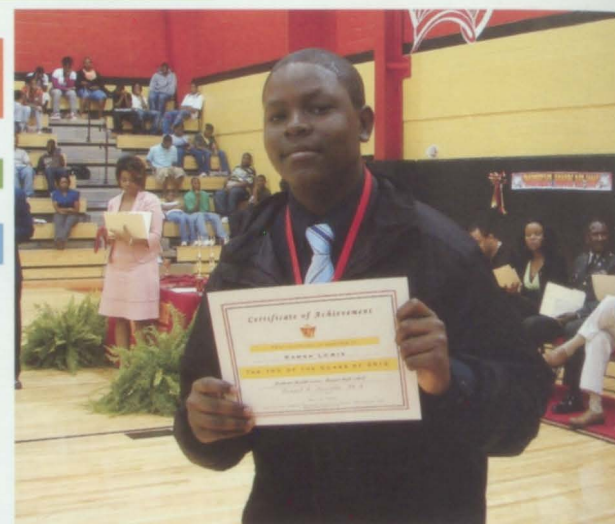
Dr. Daniely makes sure that all trophies and awards are accounted for.



(Belon) Seniors Ashlei Cason and Raven Plummer dance as a tribute from the seniors.



The Top Ten from the Class of 2012 are proud to be at the head of the class and to have survived their freshman year.



Sophomore Ramon Lewis shows off his award.



Freshman Renya Curtis sings the school song with pride.



The honorees wait for their names to be called.



Counselor Cathy Denson and Principal Dr. Scavella honor the ninth-graders during the Freshman Pinning Ceremony.

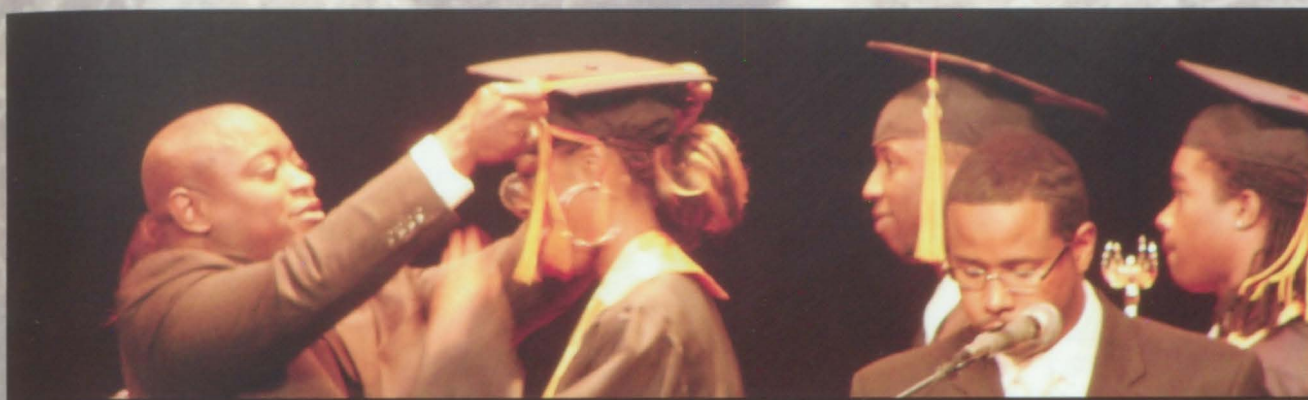


Dr. Daniely prepares for the next honoree to be announced.



Senior Honors Night 2009

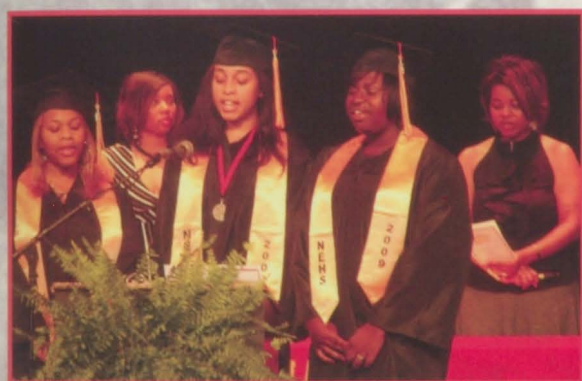
Senior Honors Night is one the culminating events to celebrate the seniors' four years of hard work before graduation. The seniors are celebrated for their achievements ranging from honor roll to thousands of dollars earned in scholarship money. It's also one of the few nights that the seniors have left to fellowship with friends, family, and their Northeast family. Northeast is proud, happy, and excited to honor the Class of 2009.



Principal Dr. Scavella bestows honors upon seniors Adrian Russell, Reginald Poole, and Shaquille Person as Mr. Mc Carthy reads off the seniors' names.



Senior Reginald Dennis cherishes the moment.



Seniors Kimberly Taylor, Kayla Cooper, and Elyse Cooper give a stirring rendition of the National Anthem.



Seniors Sharita Watson, Brandy Whisby, Octavia White, and Jena Williams take time to pose before the program starts.



Valedictorian Reginald Cater shares the spotlight with his mother.



Seniors Phillip Billingslea and Derrick Stanley treasure the moment.



Seniors Daryl Denson and Jarius Bryant are proud to reach another milestone.



Guest speaker and Northeast alum Corey Williams inspires the Class of 2009 to strive for the best.



Senior Erica Ford proudly displays her award for academic achievement.



Dr. Scavella honors Craig Bass with the highly-coveted Principal's Award.

Senior Week 2009



Seniors Erica King, Sakita Cooper, Derek Glenn, Shantae Green, Ciara Turner and Cyntaya Veal combine good times with good food during the Senior Breakfast.



(Above) Seniors Danielle Daniels and Michelle Johnson look lovely in their Raider red.

(Below) Mr. McCarthy reminds the graduates that they will always have a home at Northeast.



Senior Tamala Sands shows off her awards after honors night.



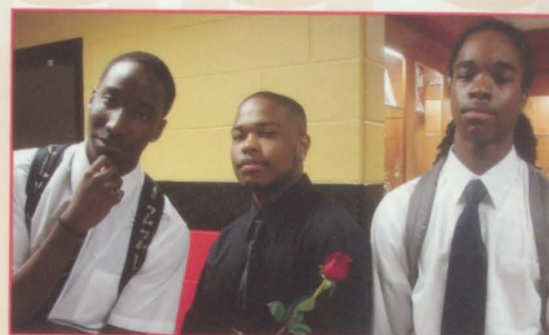
These proud seniors love Senior Week but are ready for graduation.



Seniors Victor Grayer, Jermel Harris, Jamia Burke, Craig Bass, and Jeremy Wimes break bread together.



Seniors Brandon Stanley and Octavia White have an emotional moment during the Senior Program.



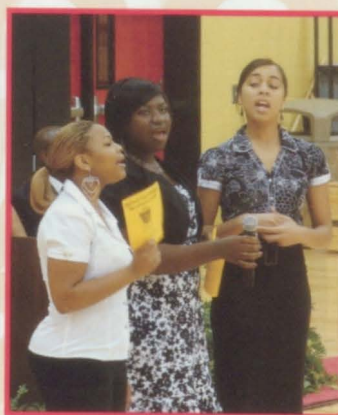
Seniors Cedric Lane, Blake Bivins, and Shaquille Person take time to bond after the Senior Program.



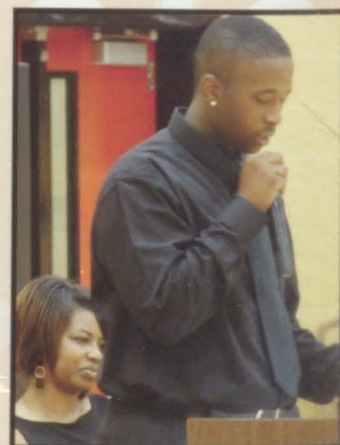
Senior Key'erra Rozier personifies a Phenomenal Woman.



Senior John Williams mimes to inspire the seniors during the Senior Program.



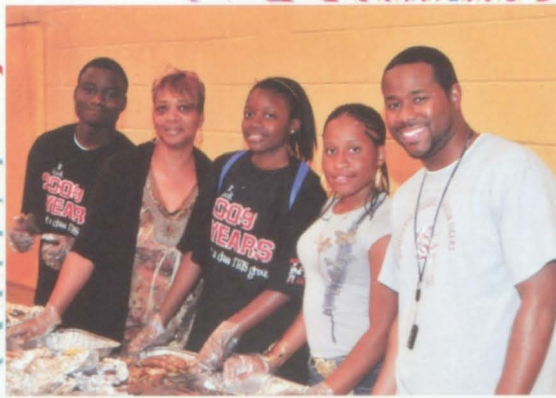
Seniors Kim Taylor, Elyse Crawford, and Kayla Cooper serenade their classmates.



Senior Craig Bass expresses his feelings about a special person through poetry.



Seniors Jessica Burnette, Sharita Watson, and Jamia Burke watch the seniors play from the sidelines.

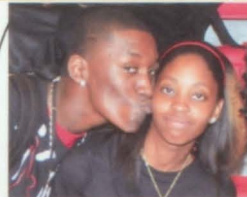


Ms. Stevens and Mr. McCarthy don't mind pitching in to help Jeremy Wimes, Takia Johnson, and Cherie Johnson serve food during the Senior Picnic.

The Class of 2009 sits attentively and re-lives bittersweet memories during the Senior Program.



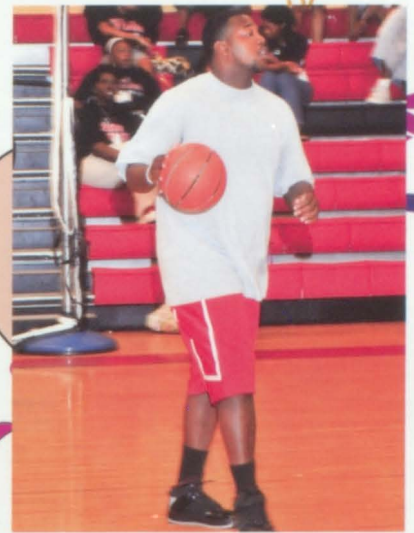
(Left) Seniors Angela Bradley and Cailsha Singleton are happy for some down time. (Right) Senior Alonzo Thompson steals a kiss from Mykia Williams at the picnic.



Senior John Williams is "head-over-heels" with excitement about graduation.



(Left) Senior Shantae Green shines in front of the camera. (Right) Seniors DeAndria Green and Taylor Williams know friendship and food go hand-in-hand.



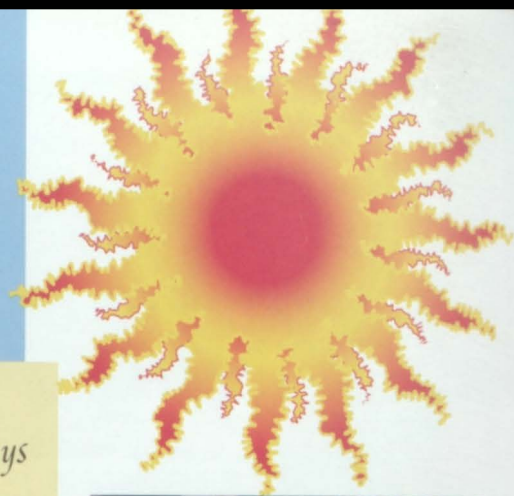
Senior Sydney Brown shows off his skills of the basketball court.

The CLASS OF 2009



Grad Bash 2009

Orlando, Florida



Fun in the sun was the theme for Grad Bash 2009. During the final days as seniors at Northeast High, the Class of 2009 took a memorable trip to Orlando, Florida. The excitement and adrenaline felt by everyone made the trip worthwhile. From "The Hill" to the the beach, the seniors celebrated life to the fullest.



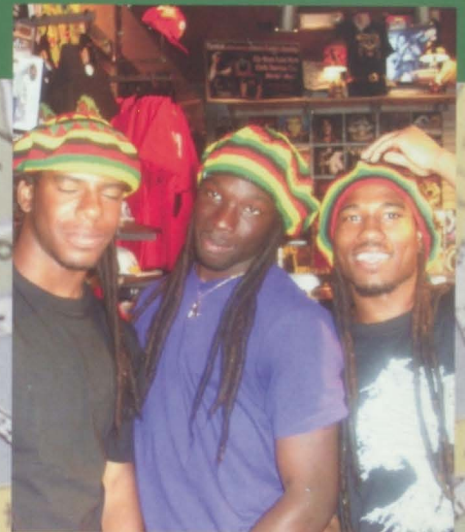
Jeremy Wimes, Sierra Barnes, Jamell Hall, Breonna Andrews, Craig Bass, India Richardson, and Kim Taylor party like it's 2009.



These lovely ladies bring their flavor to Florida.



Senior Bryant Harris shows the mechanical bull who's boss.



Sheldon Mays, Emanuel Pleasant, and Derrick Stanley take on a new look.



118 The seniors wind down after a long day.



The Class of 2009 always finds time for a hearty meal.



Senior Sheldon Mays gets his meal to go.

Senior Skate Night

Olympia Family Fun Center

As seniors, we participate in different activities that make our last year more memorable. One event that we all look forward to is Senior Skate Night. This is the seniors' time to laugh, dance, and savor one of the few moments we have left as a graduating class.



Seniors Victor Grayer and India Richardson dance in a circle while skating.



Senior Cedric Lane parties like it is 2009.



Senior Jarvis Smith rules the rink.



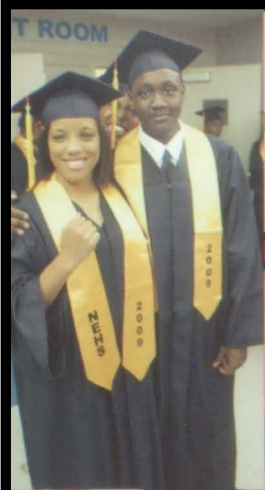
Senior Emanuel Pleasant glides across the rink with ease.



Senior Javion Hugley knows that falling is half the fun.

Senior Denita Willis takes a break from the action.



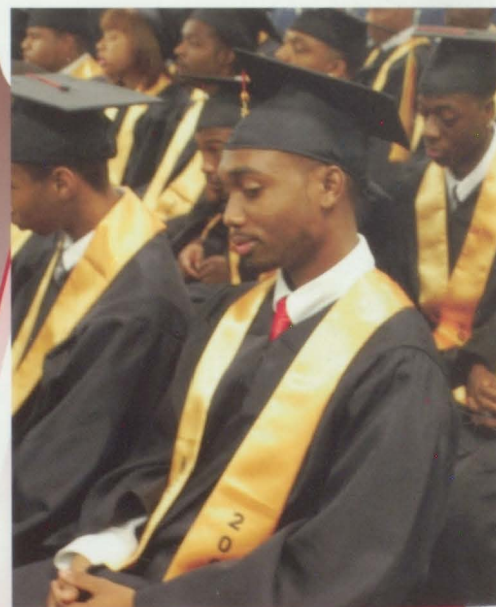
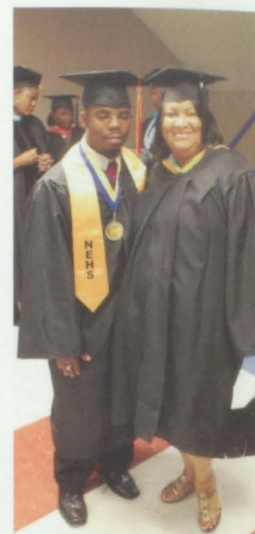


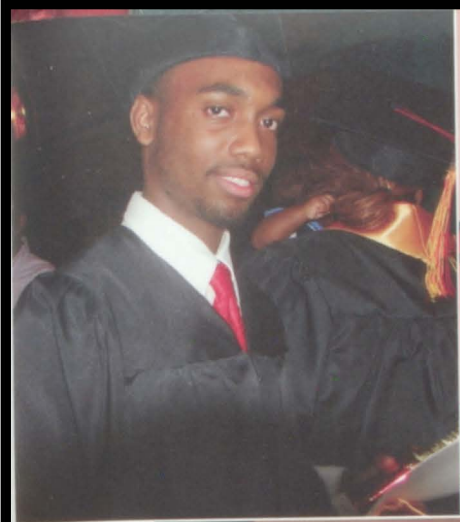
The Class of 2009: Ready for the Next Phase in Life

It took 2,009 years to create this year's graduating class. The '09 seniors have grown together, played together, and even mourned to loss of one of their own, Van Wheeler, together. Through it all, they have maintained that fighting Raider spirit, which will remain in their hearts long after the last student crosses the stage to receive her diploma. Like Northeast High itself, the Class of 2009 will forever stand proudly and stand tall.

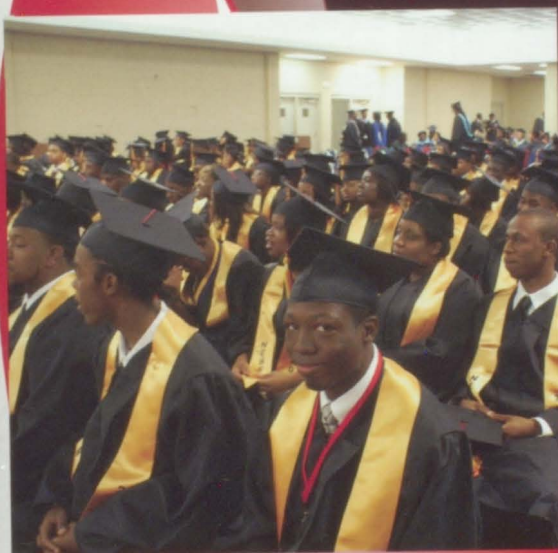


The Graduating Class of 2009

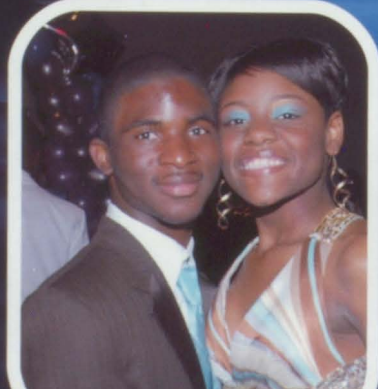
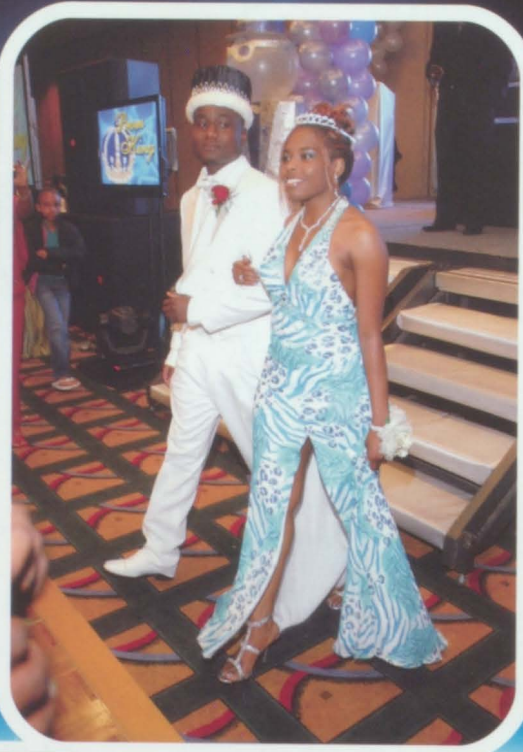




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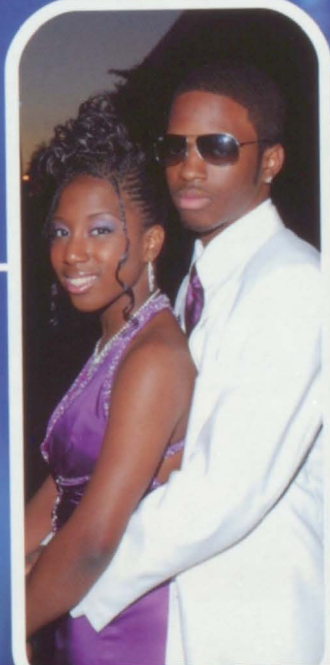
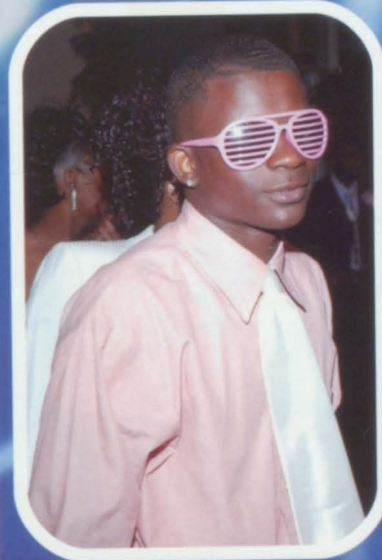
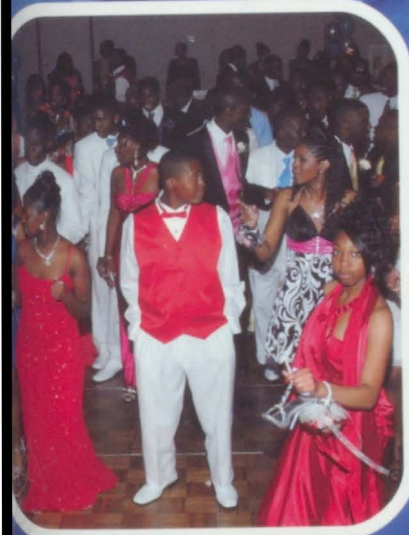
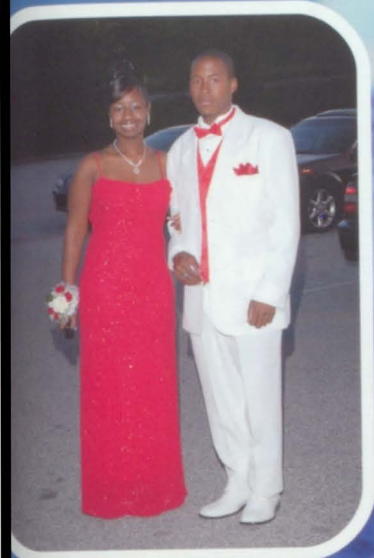


If Only for One Night...

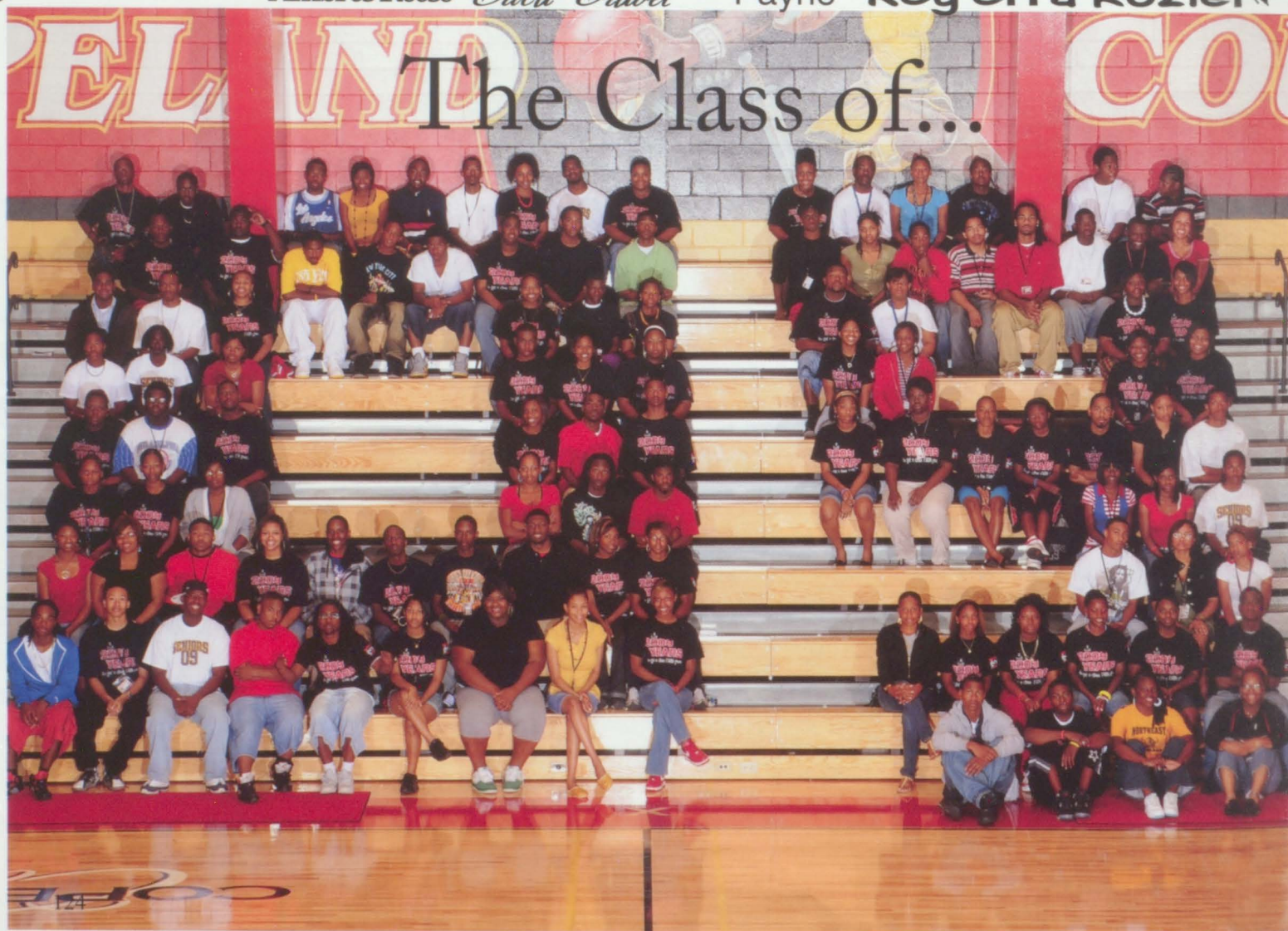


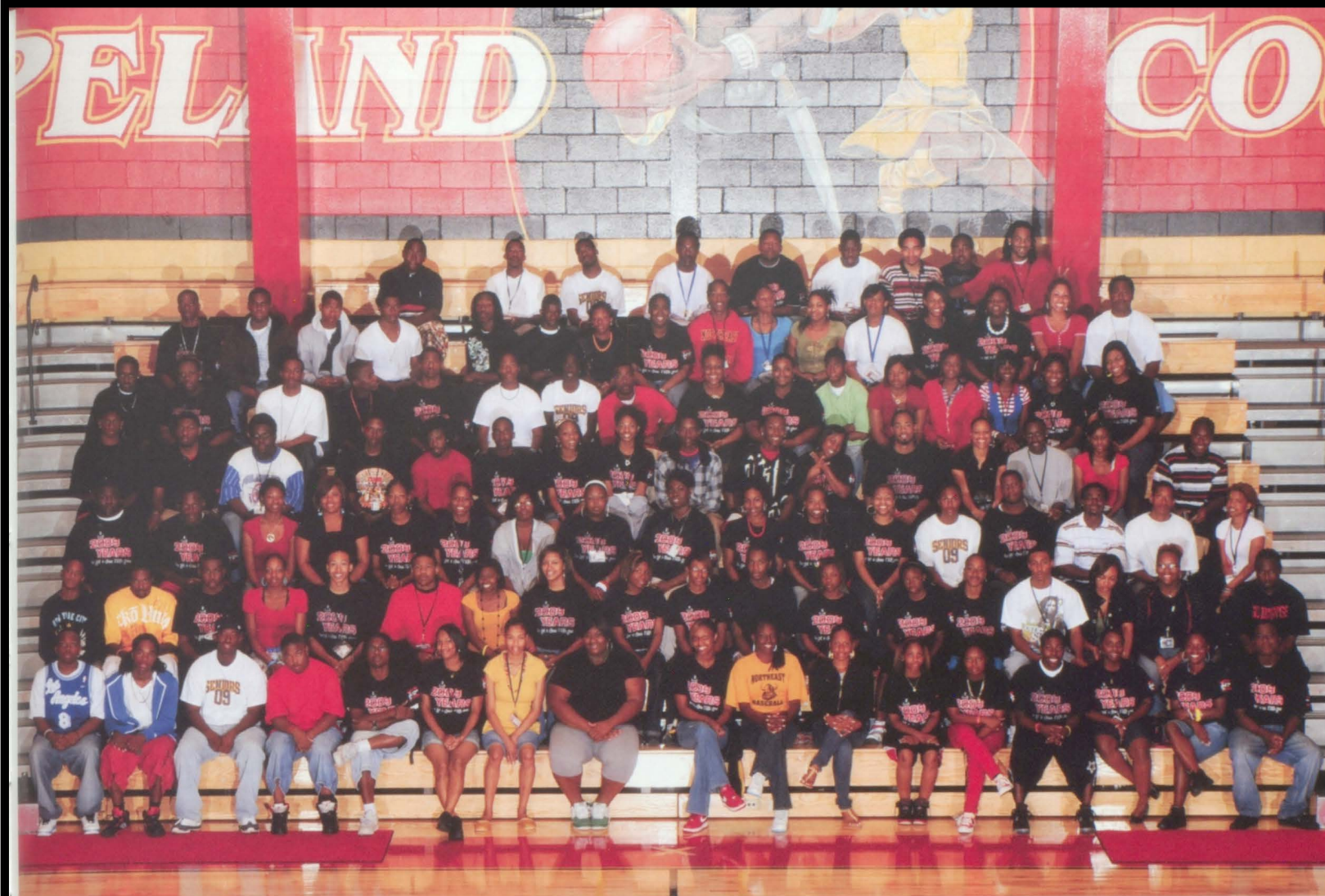
On the Scene: The 2009 Northeast High School Prom ★

It's the seniors' grand finale and the juniors' night to shine: it's prom night. Prom is a night celebrated with glamour, beauty, romance, and the hope that two females don't walk in wearing the same gown. Prom night is the one night a year that students put their best Stacy Adams or Stiletto-cradled foot forward. If only for that night, life is more beautiful.



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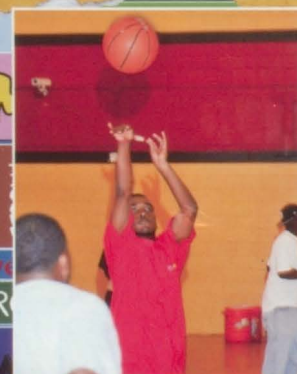
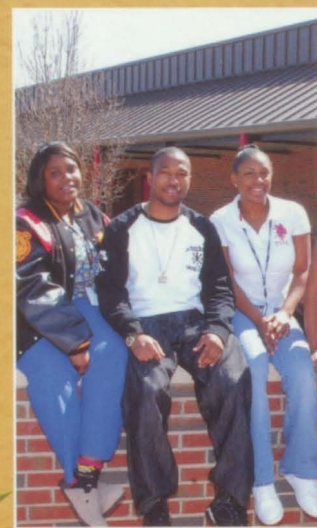
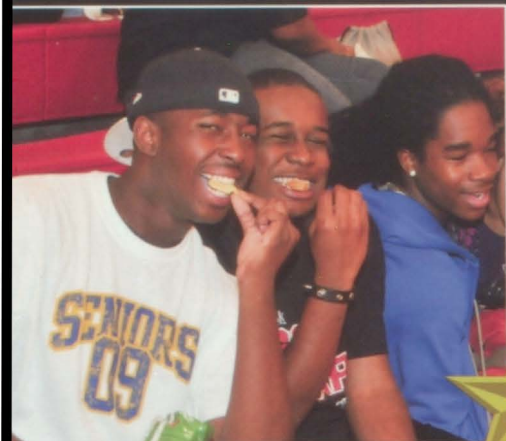




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If You Looked Into My Life...

The goal of the yearbook staff is to capture the memories students want to hold and cherish as their adolescent years pass by. Most people don't treasure these days until they're actually gone. Thankfully, a trip down Memory Lane is always a yearbook away. Live your life to the fullest on "the Hill" and beyond, and take lots of pictures along the way!



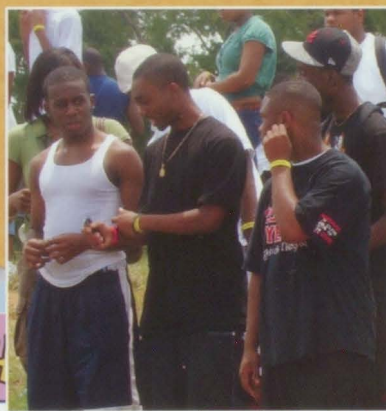
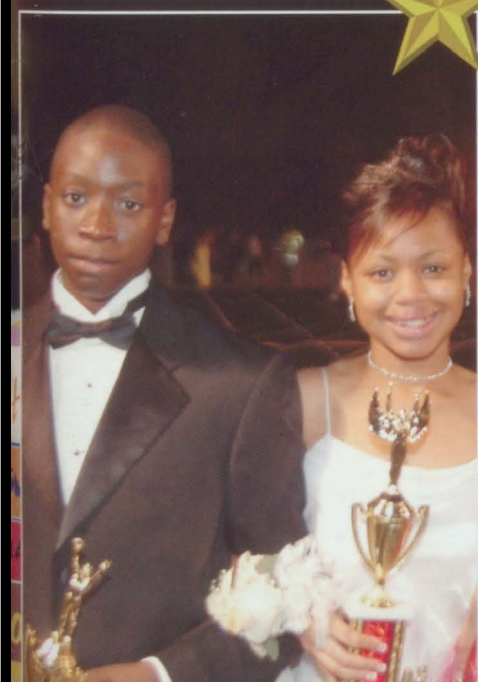
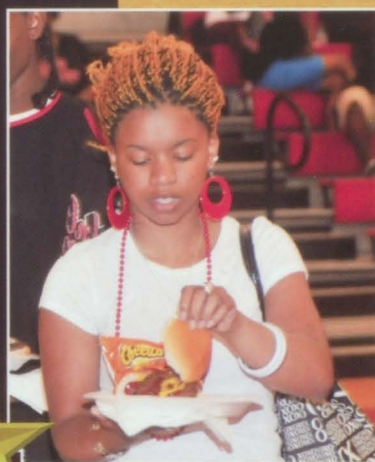
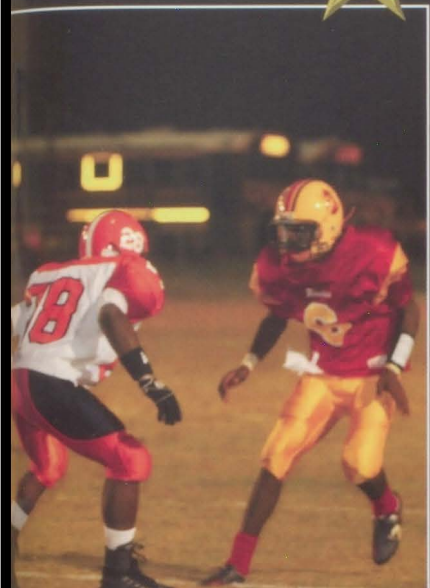
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Life at the Improved Northeast High School

For four decades, Northeast High School has hosted many events & invitationals in Mark Smith's gym. The gym, which once held only 500 people, is now capable of accommodating more than 1,000 spectators. The gym has been re-named "Copeland's Court" in honor of Coach Alvin Copeland, who was also named the 2009 Sports Director of the Year. Coach Copeland has spent more than 40 years putting his all into Northeast's athletic program. The ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new gym marked a special day not only for Coach Copeland, but it was also a celebration for Northeast and east-Macon as a whole. It was a milestone for Coach Copeland, the girls' and boys' basketball teams, and future athletes who will play in Copeland's Court for generations to come.

Local dignitaries came out to support Northeast during the ribbon-cutting ceremony.



The entrance to the Vocational building received a much-needed face-lift.



Coach Copeland, Thomas Hudson, Ella Carter and Dr. Scavella assist with the ribbon-cutting for "Copeland's Court."



Notable school board members and Superintendent Sharon Patterson take time out to honor Northeast and all of Coach Copeland's achievements. (Right) Junior Tashae Bryant recites the Pledge of Allegiance. (Far right) School board member and former Northeast principal Ella Carter addresses the crowd.



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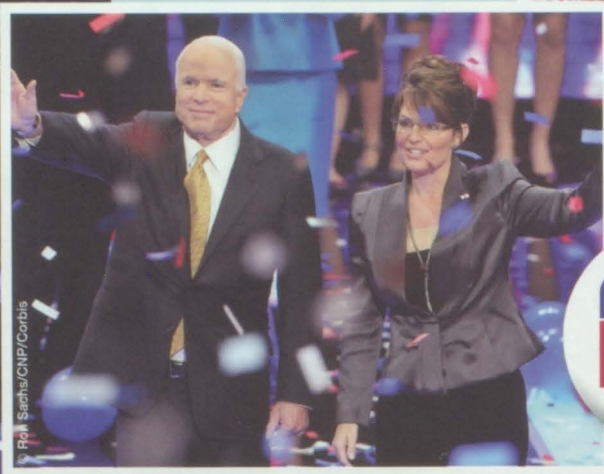


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Arizona Senator John McCain wins the Republican nomination for president and names Alaska Governor Sarah Palin as his running mate. Palin is the Republican Party's first female nominee for vice president.



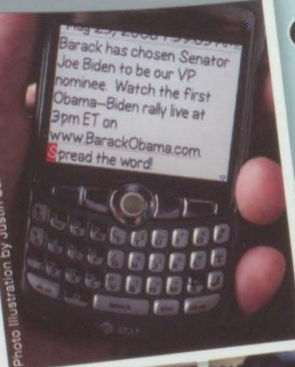
Waves of Change

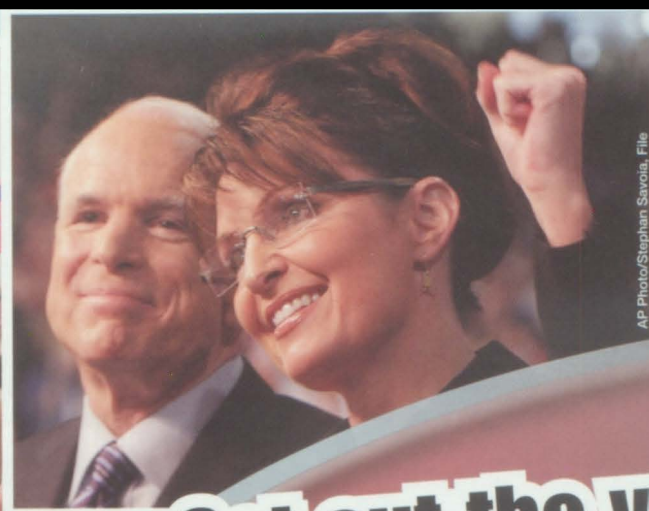


Politics in pop culture



Democratic Senator Joe Biden of Delaware becomes the 47th vice president of the United States. A member of the Senate since 1973, Biden brings long-time Washington experience to the Obama administration.





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Get out the vote!



Campaign volunteers



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I Voted

Obama's grassroots organization and innovative Web campaign is credited with inspiring young and first-time voters to participate heavily in the election.

First-time voters



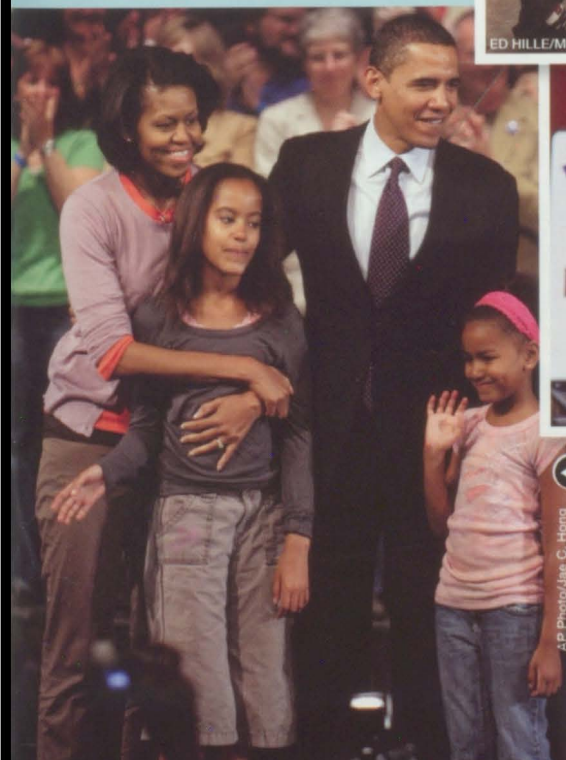
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AP Photo/Atlanta Journal Constitution, Curtis Compton

The values, fashion and personal vitality of the Obama family resonate with Americans. Public interest in the first family rivals that of the interest in the Kennedy family in the 1960s.

AP Photo/Jae C. Hong





Barack Obama makes history as the first African-American to win the presidency of the United States. The former Illinois senator promises an era of change that captures the imagination of voters nationwide.

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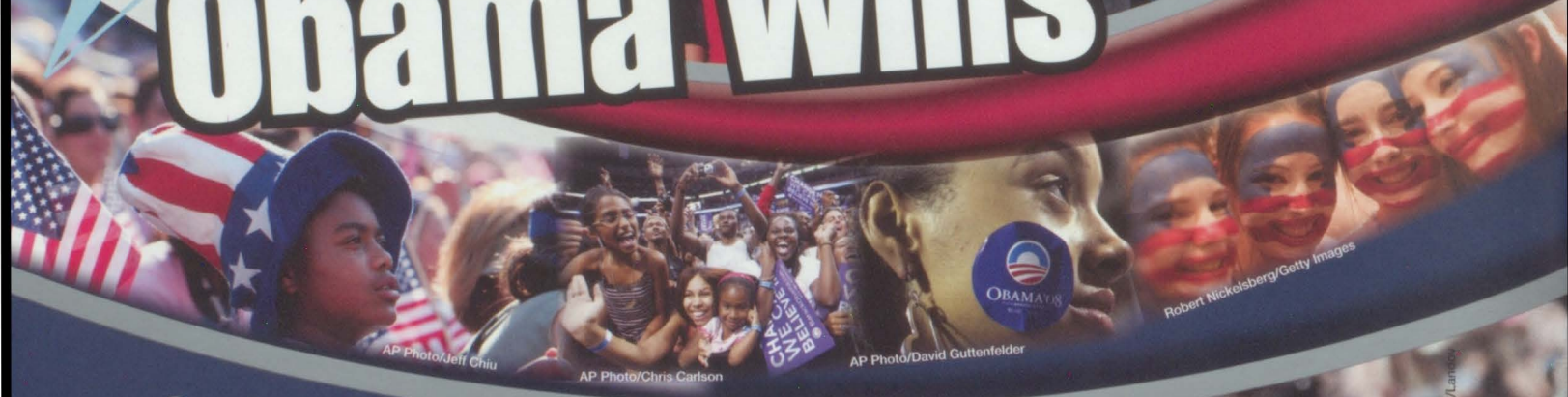
Electoral Votes

Obama	365
McCain	173



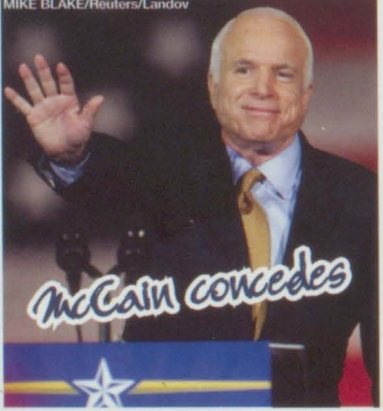
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Obama Wins

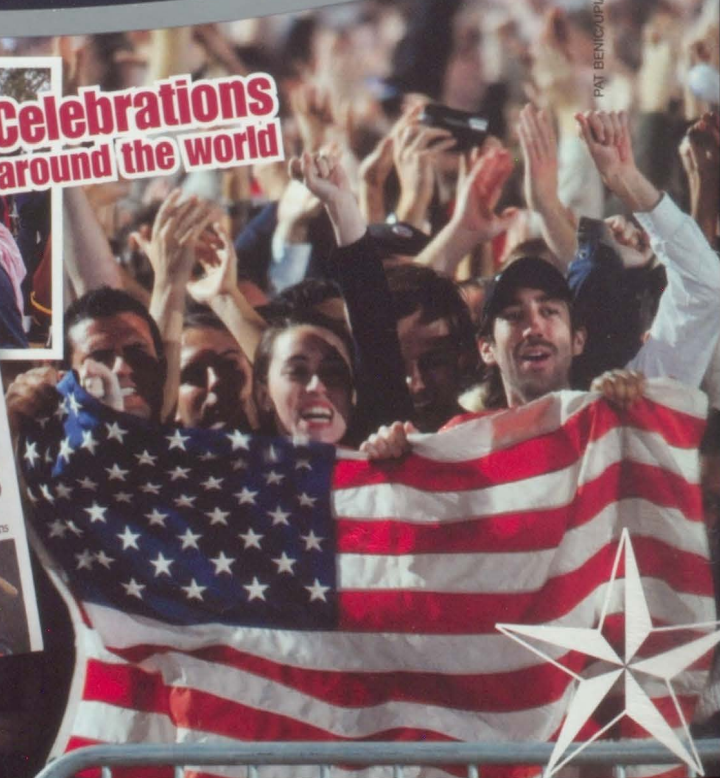


McCain/Palin run a strong campaign, winning 22 states. But they are defeated 53 vs. 46 percent in the general election and by a substantial margin in the Electoral College.

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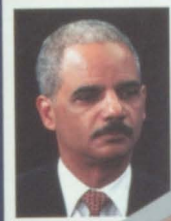
Celebrations around the world



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Obama's Cabinet nominations

REUTERS/Landov



In January 2009, president-elect Obama attends the ultimate power lunch in the White House, meeting and getting advice from President Bush as well as former Presidents George H. W. Bush, Bill Clinton and Jimmy Carter.

Getting prepared for office

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The inaugural parade

Souvenirs

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During the inauguration ceremony, Malia Obama captures the moment from a unique point of view.

Inauguration 1-20-09

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Barack Obama is sworn in as the 44th president of the United States before millions in Washington, D.C. Obama's inaugural address calls for a "new era of responsibility" in the face of economic decline and a pledge to choose "hope over fear."

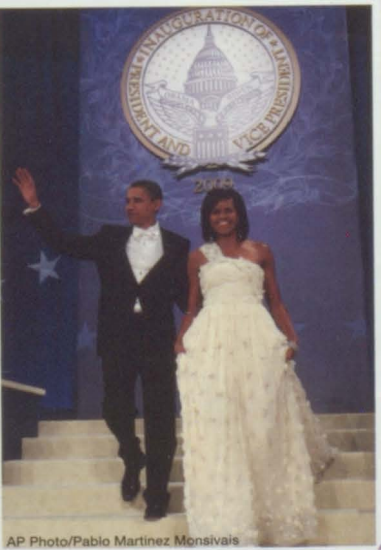
"We have chosen hope over fear..."



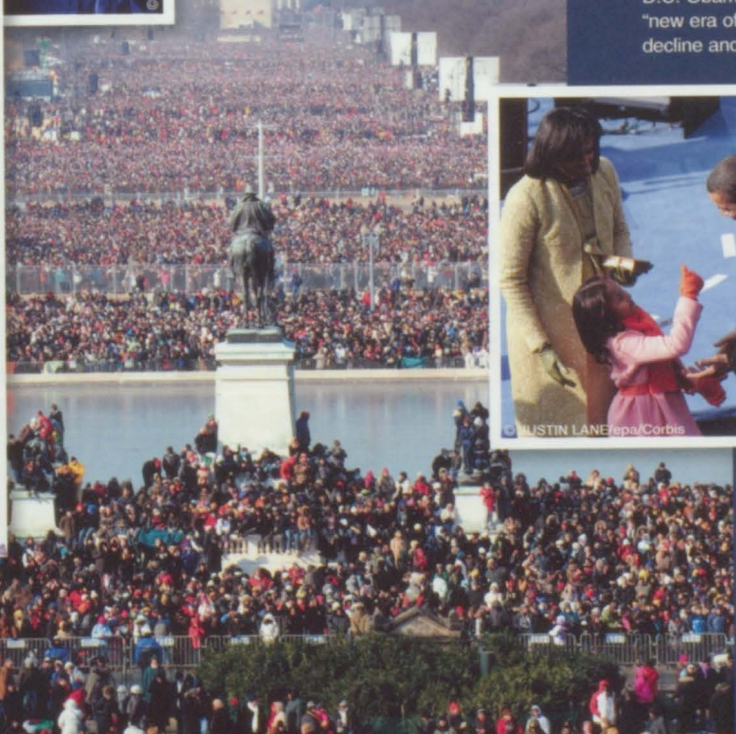
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Stocks plummet as years of excess in the U.S. housing market and lax supervision of financial institutions contribute to the greatest economic crisis since the Great Depression.

MITCH DUMKE/Reuters/Landov

District of Columbia Department of
EMPLOYMENT SERVICES ***
Linking Washington to the Workplace

Unemployment rate hits 16-year high in January 2009

With buying power declining in the consumer marketplace, companies nationwide are forced to lay off workers. The national unemployment rate hits 7.2 percent in December and is rising steadily. The hardest hit states are Michigan, Rhode Island, California and South Carolina.

Economic Crisis

World News

Specialty coffee sales drop

Credit cards

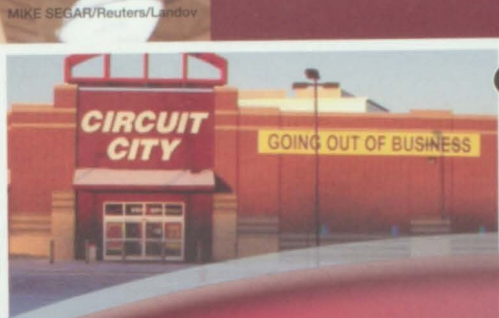
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Housing Foreclosures

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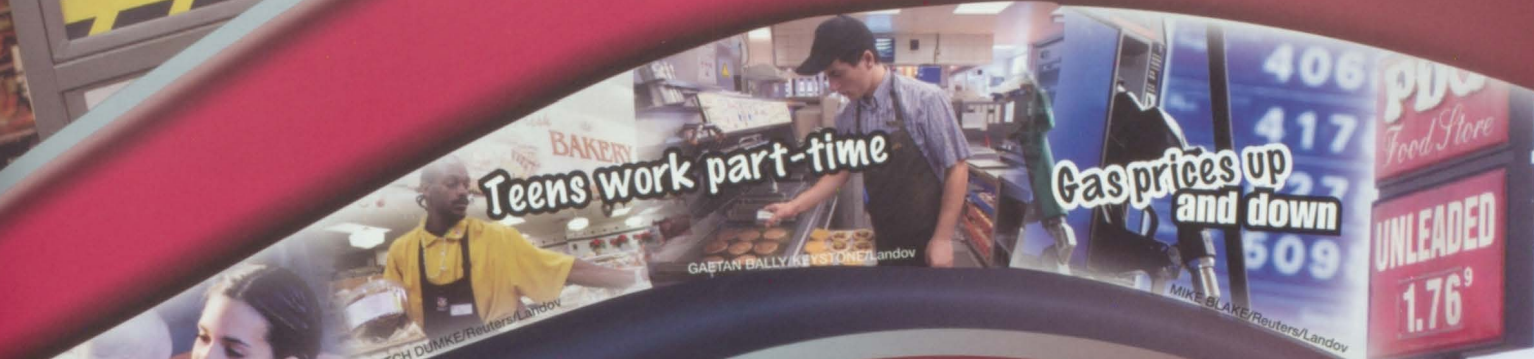
Detroit's struggling "Big Three" automakers, General Motors, Ford and Chrysler, request and are eventually offered a bailout package of just over \$17 billion in December.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS



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Many retailers are forced to file for bankruptcy or go out of business after being unable to rebound from the harsh economy and a very disappointing fourth quarter of 2008.



Teens work part-time

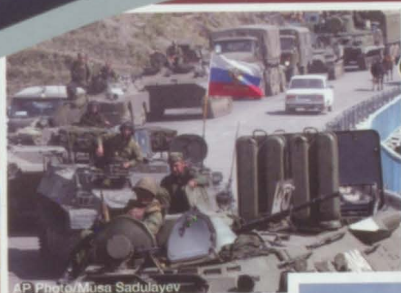
Gas prices up and down

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The world's "hot spots" center around the Middle East. Israel mounts a major offensive against Hamas in Gaza, the United States continues to oppose the Taliban in Afghanistan and insurgents in Iraq, and in August, Russia attacks its southern neighbor, Georgia, in a dispute over western influence in the area.



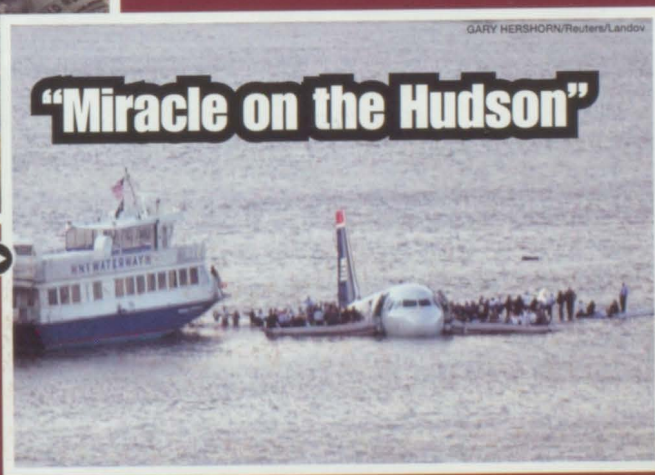
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Support our Troops

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In January 2009, after both engines fail due to ingesting birds, US Airways Flight 1549 ditches in New York's Hudson River. All 155 passengers and crew members are saved, thanks to the skill and courage of pilot Chesley B. "Sully" Sullenberger.



GARY HERSHORN/Reuters/Landov

"Miracle on the Hudson"



Changing our World

Reusable bags



Environmentally conscious consumers use items such as reusable cloth shopping bags and Klean Kanteen water bottles that don't leak harmful chemicals like BPA.

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HYBRID
SYNERGY
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What is your carbon footprint?

100g

CO2

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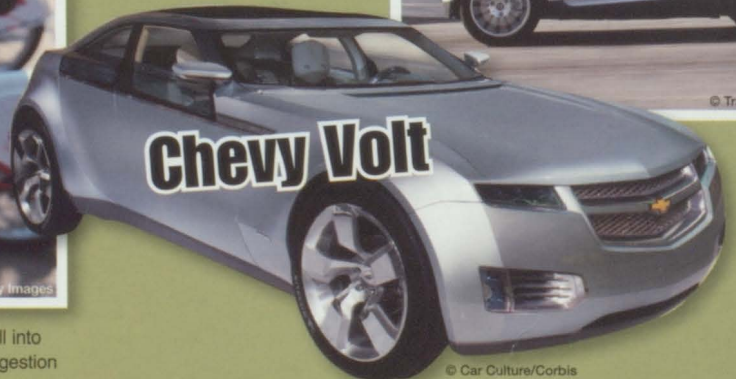
AP Photo/Eric Gay

Tight money and high gas prices push auto manufacturers to investigate super fuel-efficient and electric cars. The Chevrolet Volt is an early contender and the tiny "Smart" car is already on American roads.



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Chevy Volt



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Public bicycle sharing systems, already popular in Europe, roll into American cities like Washington, D.C., to help fight traffic congestion and reduce pollution.



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CLEAN ENERGY

Photo by Ethan Miller/Getty Images



In September, Google and General Electric partner to develop clean technologies. Modernizing the national electric grid to enable wider deployment of wind, solar and geothermal energy will be an early priority.



Environmentally friendly MacBooks

Courtesy of Apple, Inc.

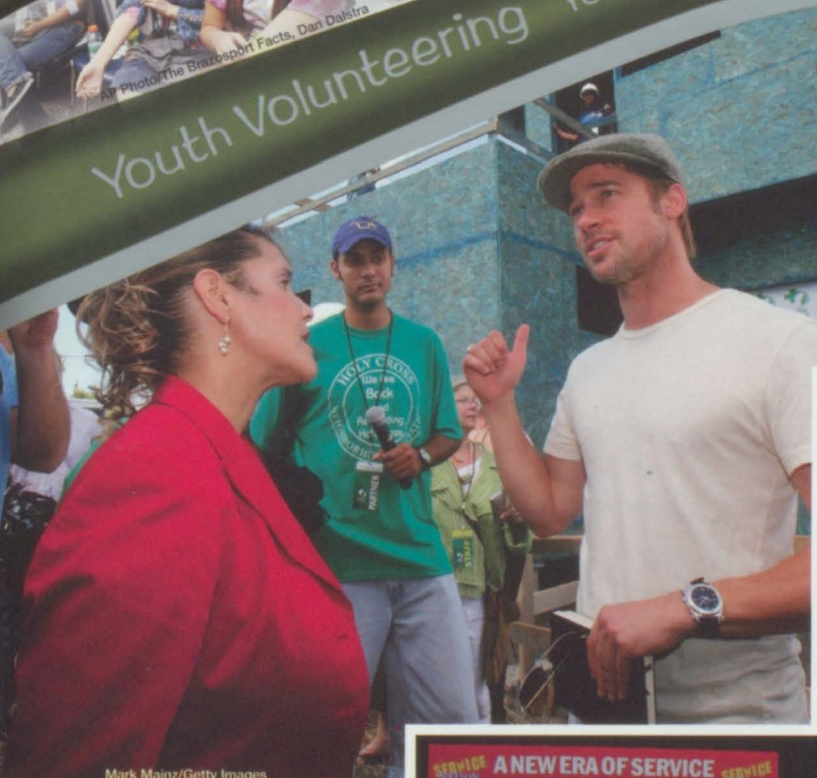


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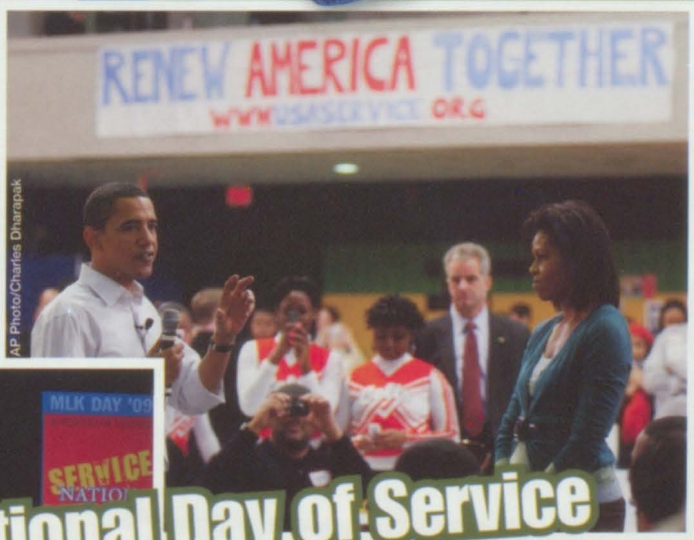


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Brad Pitt launches the "Make It Right" project to build 150 green-sensitive new homes in the New Orleans Lower 9th Ward, which was destroyed by Hurricane Katrina. Pitt contributes \$5 million to the project.



The green cleaning movement gains momentum nationally as environmentally safe non-toxic cleaning products are used in many homes, as well as state and city institutions.



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National Day of Service



President-elect Obama asks all Americans to volunteer their time on the 2009 Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service, January 19, and to continue throughout the year. More than 12,000 service projects take place across the country.

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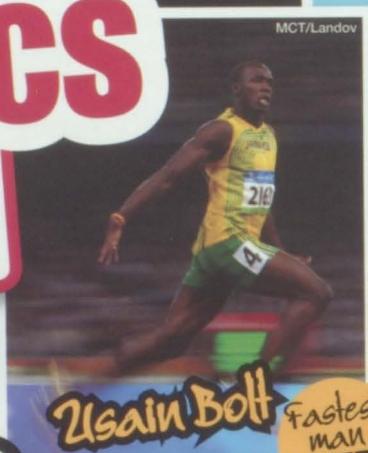


American swimmer Michael Phelps makes Olympic history with eight gold medals. Phelps sets three world records in his five individual wins.

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Summer Olympics

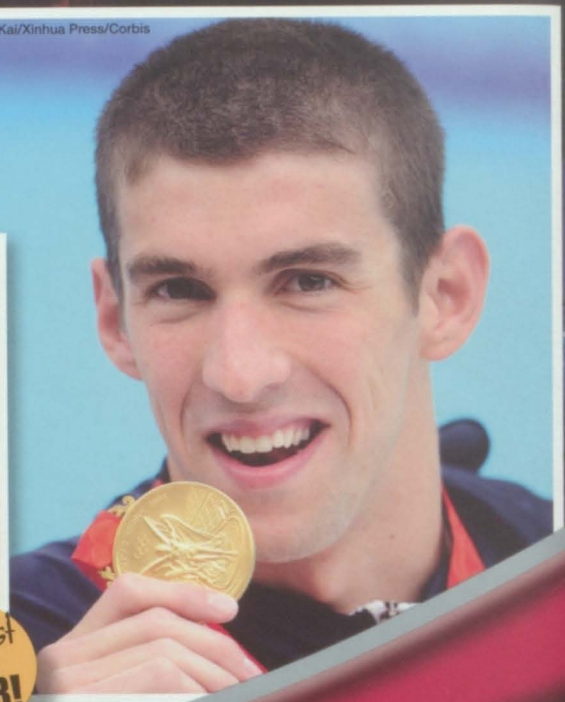
The Beijing 2008 Summer Olympics showcase some of the most amazing performances in Olympic history.



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Usain Bolt

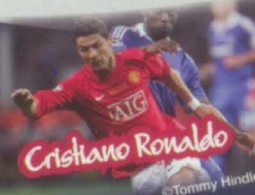
Fastest man EVER!



Sports

The Olympic Opening Ceremony

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Cristiano Ronaldo

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Tiger Woods

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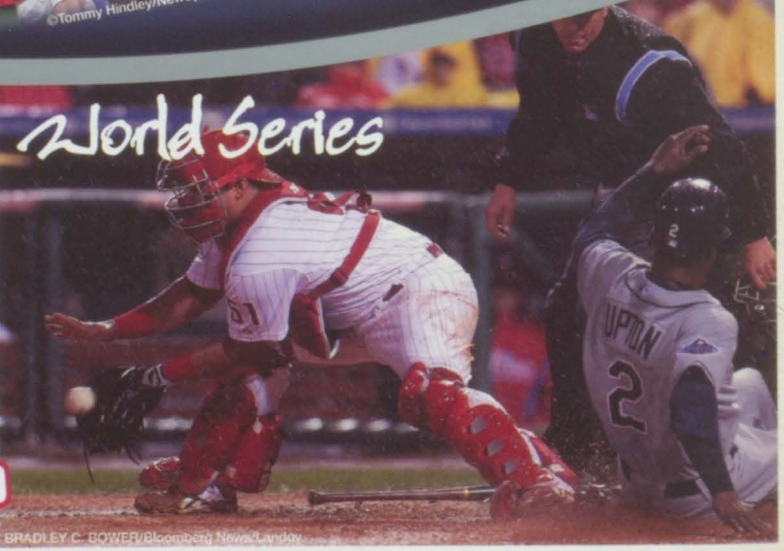
Karen Jones

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World Series

Red Wings win 2008 Stanley Cup

AP Photo/Gene J. Puskar



BRADLEY C. BOWEN/Bloomberg News/Landov



The Philadelphia Phillies win their second World Series with a five game victory over the Tampa Bay Rays. The fifth game takes three days to complete after a rain delay.



▶ The Chinese gymnasts take the team title, but Americans Shawn Johnson (floor exercise) and Nastia Liukin (all-around) take individual gold medals for the U.S.

Symnastics



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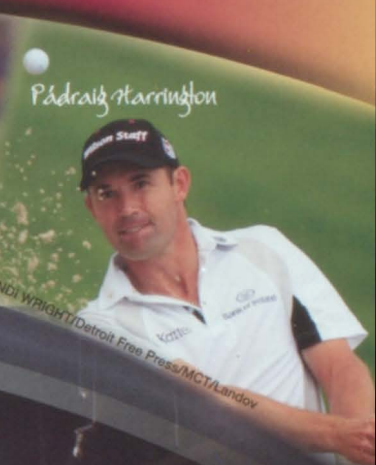


Heisman Trophy winner
Sam Bradford

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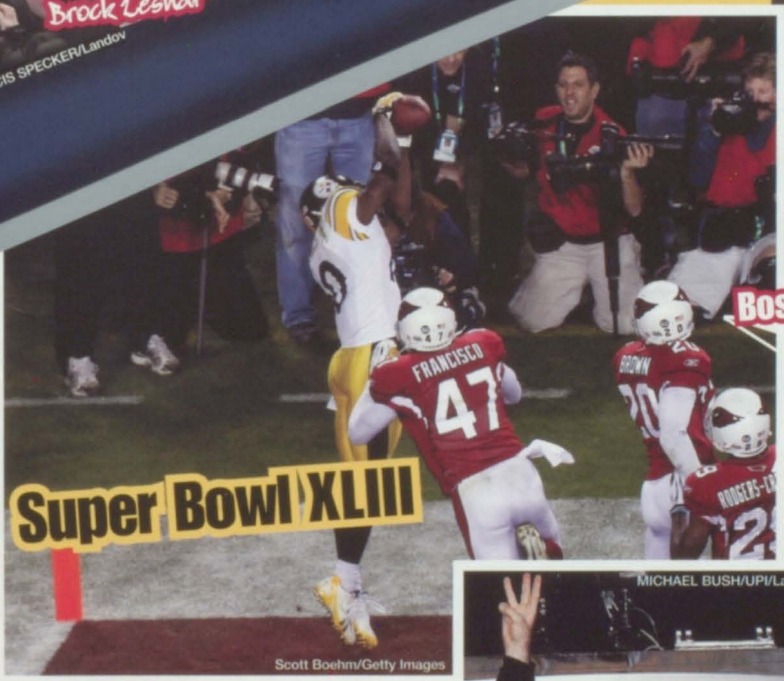
BCS National Championship
MVP Tim Tebow



Padraig Harrington

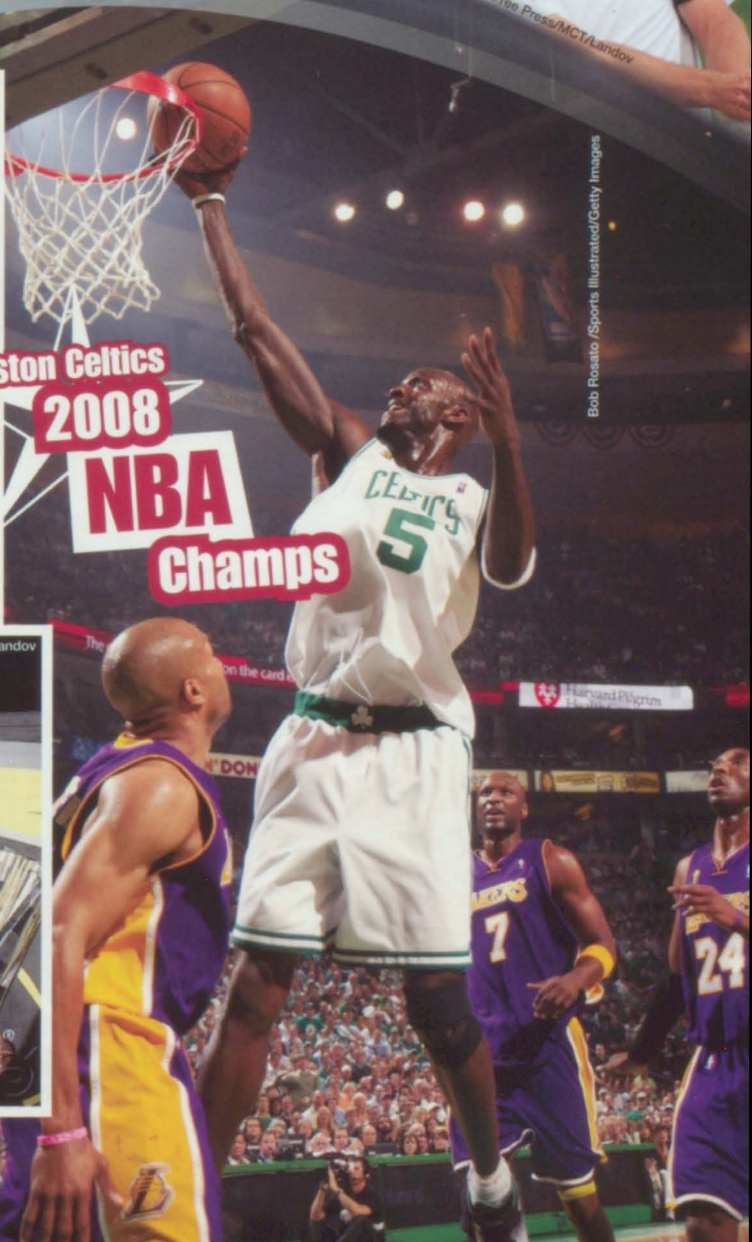
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Super Bowl XLIII

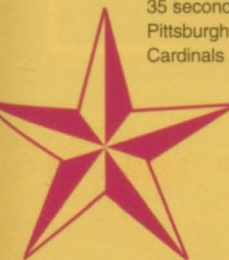
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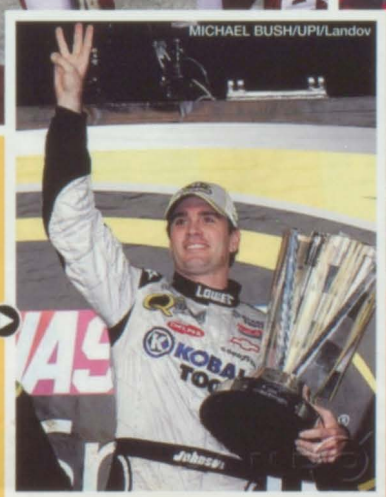
Boston Celtics
2008
NBA
Champs

Bob Rosato/Sports Illustrated/Getty Images

▶ MVP Santonio Holmes makes a tip-toe catch in the corner of the end zone with 35 seconds remaining to lead the Pittsburgh Steelers past the Arizona Cardinals 27-23 in Super Bowl XLIII.



Jimmie Johnson captures the NASCAR Sprint Cup championship for the third straight year in his famous #48 Lowe's Chevrolet Impala SS.



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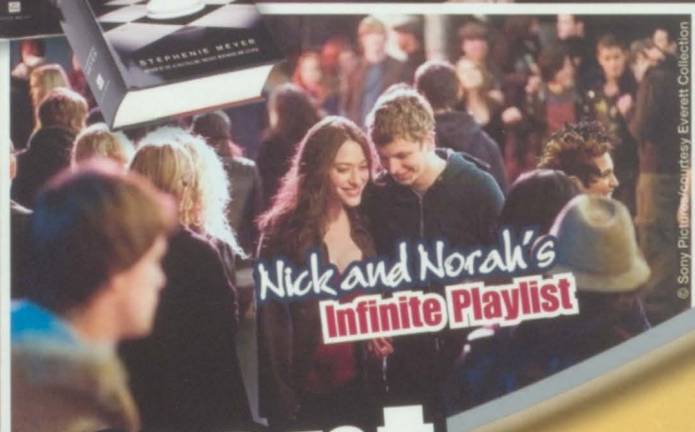
▶ Stephenie Meyer's runaway best-seller, *Twilight*, becomes a hit movie starring Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart as Edward and Bella.

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Tina Fey



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Nick and Norah's
Infinite Playlist

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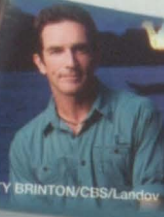
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Reality TV



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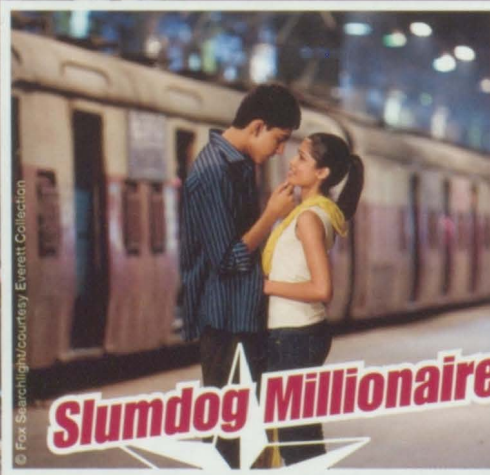
Grey's Anatomy

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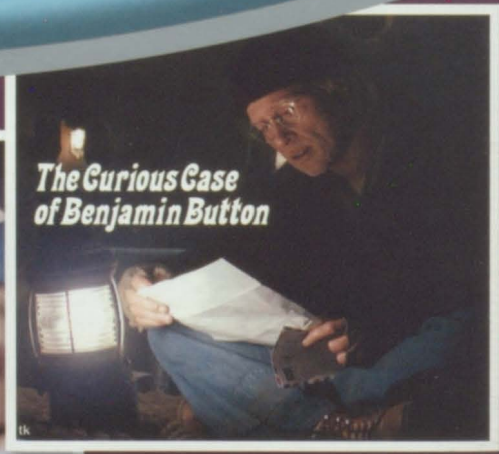
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Slumdog Millionaire



The Curious Case of Benjamin Button

Slumdog Millionaire, a surprise entry from India about teen life in Mumbai, and Brad Pitt's *The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, about a man who ages backwards, monopolize Academy Award nominations with a combined total of 23.

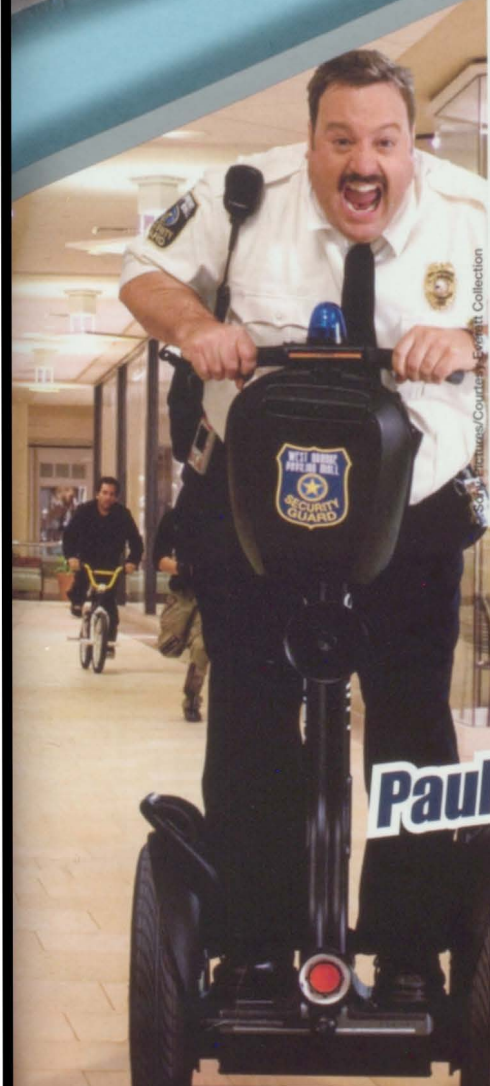




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MTV spins off the reality show *The Hills*, following *Laguna Beach* star Lauren Conrad and her friends to Los Angeles.



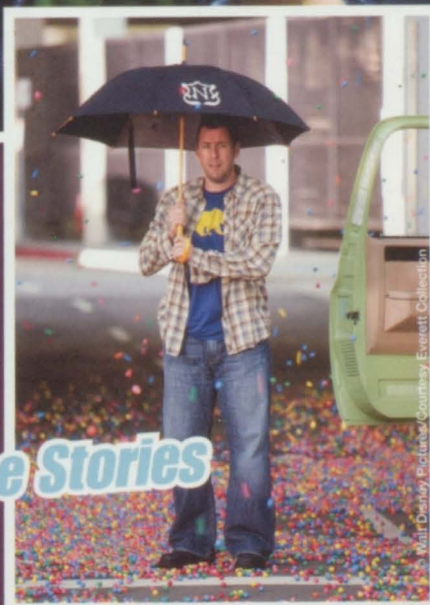
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Australian Heath Ledger, in his last film role as the Joker in the Batman epic *The Dark Knight*, wins a posthumous Golden Globe for Best Supporting Actor in a Drama.

Paul Blart: Mall Cop

Bedtime Stories



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MTV

▶ Rapper Lil' Wayne takes home four Grammys, including Rap Album of the Year for *Tha Carter III* and Best Rap Song.

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Lil' Wayne

Music

▶ Due to low ratings, MTV's flagship show *Total Request Live* shuts down in November after a 10-year run.

Jordin Sparks

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Bon Jovi

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Leona Lewis

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Fall Out Boy

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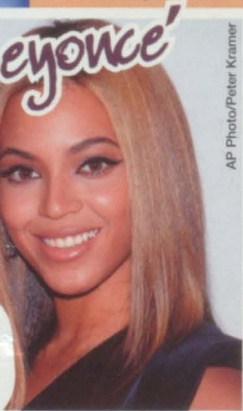
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▶ R&B singer/songwriter Ne-Yo brings out his third album, *Year of the Gentleman*, which debuts on the *Billboard* 200 at No. 2. The album garners six Grammy nominations.

Beyoncé

AP Photo/Peter Kramer



Ne-Yo

▶ Britney Spears rebounds from years of personal challenges with her fifth No. 1 album, *Circus*. She becomes the only act in Nielsen SoundScan history to have four albums that debut with 500,000 or more copies sold.



▶ The video for Will.i.am's song "Yes We Can" garners more than 1.3 million hits on YouTube and becomes an anthem for young voters during the presidential campaign.

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Classic Rock



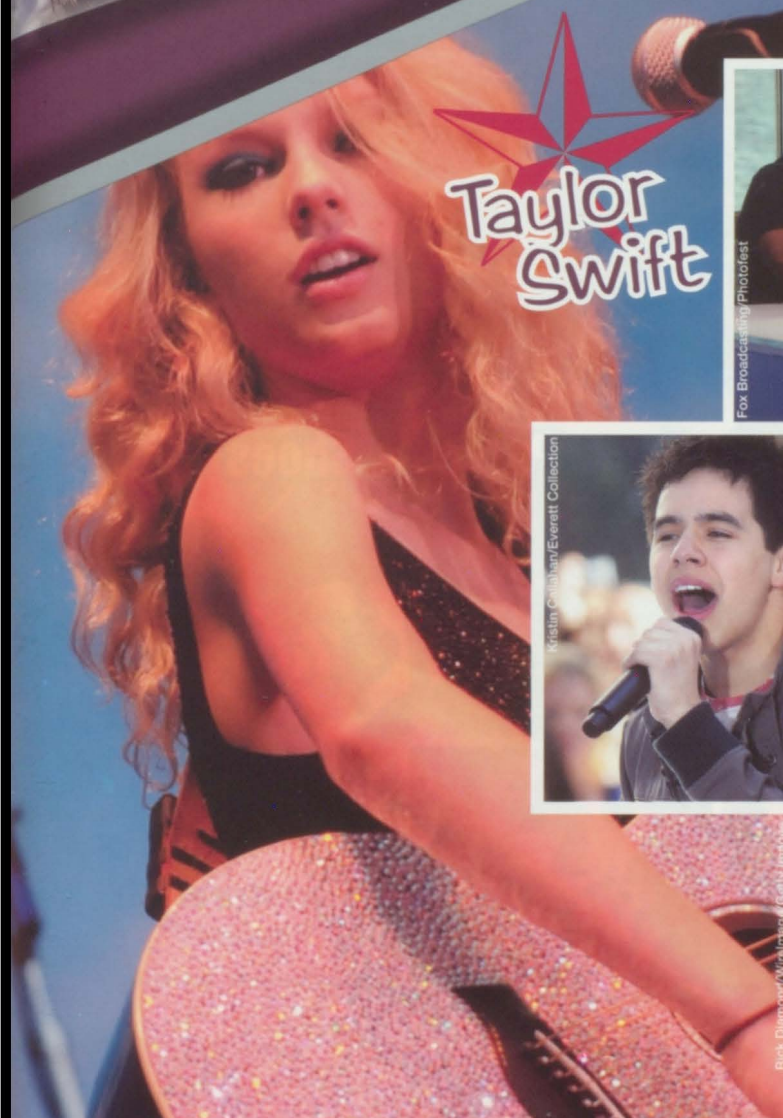
Alicia Keys

Jonas Brothers

Pink

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▶ Fox's *American Idol* adds a fourth judge to the popular show. Grammy-nominated songwriter Kara DioGuardi joins regular panelists Randy Jackson, Paula Abdul and Simon Cowell.

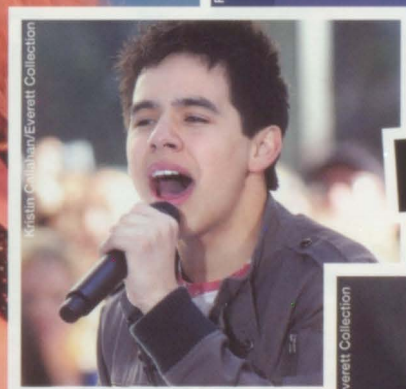


Taylor Swift



Fox Broadcasting Photofest

American Idol



Kristin Callahan/EVERETT COLLECTION

David vs. David



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▶ Rocker David Cook, with 58 percent of the fan votes, beats balladeer David Archuleta in the 2008 finals of Fox's *American Idol*.

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◀ Texting becomes the new writing. Teens everywhere learn to double-thumb miniature keyboards and invent a new language of abbreviations and signs.



Social Networking

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Digital TV

▶ The nation converts to all-digital TV in 2009. The Department of Commerce offers government coupons to make the conversion more affordable.



Lifestyle

Slippers to wear every day



Argyle & Plaid

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Designer Purses & Shoes



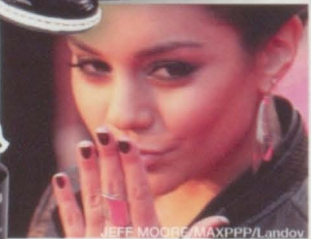
Big Sunglasses

Photo by Barry King/Wallimage/Getty Images



▶ Top style trends this year include baggy pants, oversized sunglasses, designer purses, black nail polish and plaids.

Black Nail Polish



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